

DISCLOSES ATTACK ON FIRST EVIDENCE IN ALUMINUM CASE

Special Assistant to Attorney-General Says Trade Commission Report Was Challenged.

SO INDEPENDENT INQUIRY WAS MADE

Walsh Remarks He Would Not Use Justice Department Investigator Even in Bootleg Case.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—An independent investigation of the Aluminum Co. of America, in which Secretary Mellon is interested, was ordered by the Department of Justice because the accuracy of a report of the Federal Trade Commission had been challenged, the Senate investigating committee was told today by John L. Lott, a special assistant to the Attorney-General.

Lott said he was employed to take charge of the inquiry. He assigned Joseph E. Dunn, a special agent, to make the field investigation and then directed William R. Benham, another special assistant, to co-operate in inspecting the books of the company at Pittsburgh.

Both Lott and Benham today praised Dunn as an efficient investigator.

Senator Walsh (Dem.) of Montana, prosecutor of the inquiry as to whether the department has proceeded with due diligence in investigating charges that the Aluminum Co. of America has violated a Federal Court consent decree, remarked that he would not even employ Dunn to investigate a "bootleg" case.

Lott said he knew of no investigation save the aluminum inquiry in which the Attorney-General had directed that a report be made to him before any action was taken or publicly given.

Pressed by Walsh as to why the department did not obtain copies of the documents before the Federal Trade Commission, Lott said he expected to get all of that evidence after the examination of the books of the company is completed. Walsh was insistent that before Dunn made the field investigation he should have armed himself with all the evidence, particularly letters and sworn statements, which the Trade Commission agreed to furnish. Lott said he did not know whether the special agent had done so.

Vigorous assault on the methods of the department was made by Walsh and Senator Norris (Rep.) of Nebraska. They complained especially of Dunn's failure to arm himself with copies of complaints made to the Trade Commission.

"You sent this man to the Federal Trade Commission and he got you absolutely nothing," declared Walsh. "Do you think that's an investigation?" "That's a start," returned Lott.

"Yes, but a poor start," observed Walsh.

Norris declared that any lawyer proceeding with such an inquiry would have first obtained the letters and statements in the hands of the trade commission.

DEPARTMENT GAVE ALUMINUM CASE TO INEXPERIENCED MAN

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WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Joseph E. Dunn of Augusta, Me., special agent of the Department of Justice, a plump man who wears his gray-white hair in a commodious style, toyed nervously with a pen all while Senator Walsh questioned him in the Senate Judiciary Committee's inquiry into the Department of Justice's handling of the Aluminum Co. of America case.

Before coming into the Department of Justice in 1916, Dunn was an office worker, clerk, cashier and so on for private firms and the Maine State Treasurer's and Auditor's offices. He was not assigned to anti-trust investigation by his superiors in the Department of Justice until 1923.

By his testimony yesterday he is neither a lawyer, accountant nor stenographer, and there are three or four men in the department who are more experienced in anti-trust inquiry than he is. Yet Dunn was the man picked to do the field work in the case of the Aluminum company.

As Senator Walsh proceeded with his searching questions, Dunn's big blue eyes behind their horn-rimmed spectacles assumed the expression of a frightened child. His replies were made in a low tone. He was verbose but indirect in his answers.

In the artless, floundering answers of the witness some of the Senators read a greater indictment of the Department of Justice than in the complete ignorance of the facts of the case shown by Attorney-General Sargent. An Attorney-General's knowledge of a case may not be essential, but the Department of Justice from February un-

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March and returned about the first of April. He thought that within the month he started out again to Wisconsin, but afterward decided that this particular trip was made in June. Finally this line of questioning led to the fact that Dunn might not have seen that Dunn was abandoned to the various trips.

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MARYLAND MEMBER FRIEND OF COOLIDGE

Post Carries Control of Policy of Commission, Which Passes on Cases It Shall Consider.

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THREE WITNESSES IDENTIFY GUNMAN IN ROBBERY TRIAL

Patrick Scanlon Taken From Workhouse for Hearing in \$34,700 Holdup of Mound City Trust.

BANKER TESTIFIES PRISONER GOT LOOT

Customer Who Was Shot at and Stenographer Also Take Stand to Accuse Hogan Gangster.

Three witnesses yesterday identified Patrick Scanlon, Hogan gangster, as one of the holdup men who raided the Mound City Trust Co. at 2900 Union boulevard, March 3, 1925, and escaped with \$34,700.

Scanlon now is serving a 60-day workhouse sentence for carrying concealed weapons, but he was taken to Circuit Judge Mink's courtroom yesterday to stand trial on a charge of robbery and will be returned to the workhouse to complete his sentence after the trial.

James Doherty, vice president of the trust company and manager of the real estate department, declared on the stand yesterday that Scanlon was the robber who carried the suitcase in which the loot was taken away.

"I was facing the door just before the robbery when I saw a man enter," he said. "As I looked up he was struggling to free a suitcase which had caught in the screen door."

Scanlon Came in at Door.

"I paid no attention for the moment and went on opening my mail, but when I looked up again the man had drawn a pistol. A moment later the other robbers were herding 20 or 25 persons in the bank into the back room where I was sitting."

The man who had entered the screen door was Scanlon, the witness declared.

Elmer Blattnerman of 2423 Williams place, a plumber who had come to the bank to make a deposit, identified Scanlon as the man who stood with drawn pistol at the door of the bookkeeping department. Blattnerman said he was sitting at his desk when the robbers had fired a shot at his feet and a lively debate ensued when Sigmund Bass, counsel for Scanlon, began his cross-examination.

Miss Dorothy Cook of 5123 Spaulding avenue, a stenographer, also identified Scanlon as the man who had carried a suitcase and an automatic pistol during the holdup.

Others Indicted.

Besides Scanlon, under indictment in the case are G. C. Lee, John Hagan, Joseph Carroll, Jack Rubenstein, John R. McGowan and Charles Mercurio. Herbert Julian, another complainant, was acquitted of the robbery charge recently when a jury voted to believe his story that police had beaten him to make him confess.

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PROVISION FOR NATURAL CHILDREN IN GERMAN BILL

Measure Requires Support by Several Men if Paternity Is in Doubt.

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BERLIN, Jan. 15.—Natural children soon will receive humanitarian consideration of a new type if a bill, being prepared by the Reich's Ministry of Justice, passes the Reichstag.

The novelty of the measure consists in the favorable treatment to be accorded children even where their fatherhood is in doubt. Natural children will be divided into two classes, those recognized by the father, children whose father is in doubt.

The first class will have far-reaching claims to support by the father and their status will be improved in various other ways. The second class will have a claim on all men who have known the mother during an appropriate time thus obviating men's objection to recognizing children where the parenthood is doubtful.

This means that certain children can legally possess several fathers and on this ground the bill is being criticized. Hitherto, according to statistics, only half the natural children born in Berlin have been recognized by the father. Twenty per cent have been permanently fatherless, owing to the uncertainty of picking the father from several possibilities.

PONZI SELLS \$15 LAND FOR \$230 AN ACRE IN FLORIDA

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Ponzi Agent in Florida Real Estate Project.

BOSTON, Jan. 15.—Caledonia Alviti, Boston representative of Charles Ponzi, in his new Florida real estate development project, was arrested here yesterday on a charge of selling securities without being registered in the State as a broker or salesman, was arraigned in Municipal Court and furnished \$1000 bail. His case will be heard next week.

Investigation has been made by Attorney-General Benton into the Charbon Land Syndicate operated by Ponzi and the arrest of Alviti resulted.

The complaint charges Alviti with selling securities to Kenneth B. Backman of Cambridge. Backman is associated with the Boston Better Business Commission which complained several days ago against the syndicate to the District Attorney of Suffolk County.

Ponzi's syndicate offers the sale of lots near Jacksonville. "Certificates of indebtedness" at \$19 each, issued to purchasers are redeemable in land or money at three times their cost, or in three lots.

Flower Producers' Suit Settled.

By the Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The suit of the Department of Justice against the Flower Producers' Cooperative Association of New York, Inc., has been settled through an agreement that the association will cease certain trade practices held unfair by the Government. The association deals in hothouse products.

Acquitted of Murder Charge.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

MIAMI, Fla., Jan. 15.—John Gobel, real estate operator, was acquitted by a jury here today of a charge of murdering Mrs. May Hunt of Lexington, Ky. Mrs. Hunt died from poison which she charged was administered by Gobel while she was in jail charged with the theft of a diamond ring from him. The defense contended that she committed suicide.

3 TIMES A WIDOW, ADMITS POISONING HER HUSBAND NO. 5

Mrs. Laura Christy of East Liverpool, O., Tells Police Missionary Mate "Asked for It."

INQUIRY IN DEATH OF HER NO. 4 LIKELY

Body May Be Exhumed—He Succumbed After Doctors Had Pronounced Him Recovering.

By the Associated Press.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., Jan. 15.—Mrs. Laura Christy, 48 years old, widowed in three of five marriages, is held in jail at Lisbon, charged with the first degree murder of her fifth husband, the Rev. William Christy, 56, whom she met and married less than two weeks ago.

Vital organs of the Rev. Mr. Christy, who was a representative of the Christian Missionary Association, were sent to the State chemist at Columbus to be analyzed for traces of poison.

The charge of murder was preferred by Chief of Police McDermott, who said the woman had confessed to him and Prosecuting Attorney R. M. Brooks that she had given her husband poison. The husband died Wednesday night.

Mrs. Christy, in her signed confession, according to McDermott, said her husband had suffered from indigestion and that she administered the poison "because he asked for it." When arraigned yesterday Mrs. Christy pleaded not guilty and was held to the grand jury. Mrs. Christy said she met her husband on Jan. 4 and married him the next day.

Her fourth husband, John Evert, 50, died at Newell, W. Va., last Nov. 7. Local officials today said his body might be exhumed to determine the cause of his death. He was supposed to have been the victim of lung congestion and mumps, but at the time of his death his physician had not seen him for two days, having pronounced him well on the road to recovery.

The body of the Rev. Mr. Christy is

GIRL GETS \$15,000 VERDICT FOR LOSS OF FOUR FINGERS

Punch Press Operator Alleged Machine in American Can Co. Shop Was Defective.

A jury in Circuit Judge Hall's court yesterday awarded Miss Helen Frank, 20 years old, of 214A Carroll street, damages of \$15,000 against the St. Louis Can Co., 864 South Fourteenth street, for injuries suffered March 12 last, while she was an employee. It is expected that the company will appeal.

Miss Frank testified she was working on a punch press when

her right hand was caught in the machine, resulting in the loss of four fingers on that hand. She declared the press was defective as it started without warning. The company denied the machine was defective.

Thief Knocks Woman Down.

A Negro purse snatcher met with resistance when he attempted to rob Miss Jeanette Brown of 2009 Park avenue, near her home, at 6:30 p. m. yesterday. Struggling to retain her purse, Miss Brown was knocked down by the assailant, who fled with the pocketbook toward Grand boulevard. The purse contained \$2 and a check for \$12.

SON SUES TO GET ESTATE OF MOTHER

Theodore August Barrat Was Reared From Infancy in Richard Bartholdt's Home.

His Theodore August Barrat was taken into the home of former Congressman Richard Bartholdt, 4666 Flora place, when an infant, was related, yesterday in Probate Court by Bartholdt and other witnesses at the trial of a plot in which Barrat claims the whole estate of Mrs. Ada Barrat Maguire.

According to Bartholdt's testimony, as well as that of other witnesses, the claimant is Mrs. Maguire's son, born Nov. 2, 1887, in this city and christened several weeks later at the Holy Cross Lutheran Church under the name of Barrat.

"About this time," said Bartholdt, "my sister-in-law, Mrs. Laura Koch, who then lived at 2115 South Ninth street, was greatly distressed over the death of her husband. Our family thought if we could find a child for her to rear it would divert her mind and give her an interest in life. So we answered an advertisement regarding an infant, and the petitioner here was that child."

Wanted to Adopt Child.

Bartholdt said his sister and other members of the family became so attached to the boy they wanted to adopt him, but the mother would not consent, as she did not wish to relinquish all claim on him. The boy remained at the Bartholdt home until he was about 13 years old, when he went to New Mexico for his health. During this period, the evidence showed, Mrs. Maguire visited him and seemed fond of him. After her marriage to James Maguire, a printer who is dead, she introduced the boy as her son, witnesses stated. At other times she acknowledged in the presence of witnesses the boy was her son. It was stated.

When asked by Attorney Rodger H. Abeken, representing the petitioner, if he had any financial interest in the case, Bartholdt explained: "I have no financial interest, but I have a profound interest in seeing that justice is done."

Woman Died in Chicago.

Mrs. Maguire died in Chicago Nov. 10, 1922, and was buried at Massillon, O., where she owned real estate at \$2000. She also had personal property amounting to \$1500. She and her husband

lived at 4827 Botanical avenue until his death four years ago, when she moved to 2115 Vista avenue. When administration was granted on her estate it was set forth she had no heirs closer than several brothers, sisters, aunts and nephews.

The claimant did not appear in court but witnesses identified a letter as his handwriting. In this letter was enclosed one signed by Mrs. Maguire giving Theodore motherly advice and cautioning him to "think what he pleased but don't think out loud." Before passing on the case, Judge Holtcamp said the claimant either would have to appear in person or someone go to Richmond to identify him for the court.

Armed Negroes Rob Pedestrian. Two armed Negroes held up Linzy T. Hoff, of 2323 Lindell boulevard, on Thursday evening, near Lindell boulevard, at 10 o'clock last night, taking his watch and \$10, he reported.

Two \$500 Bonds Lost or Stolen. Clarence J. Reinheimer of 310 South Grand boulevard has called police to help him recover two negotiable \$500 bonds, which had been stolen from his pockets in the downtown district yesterday.

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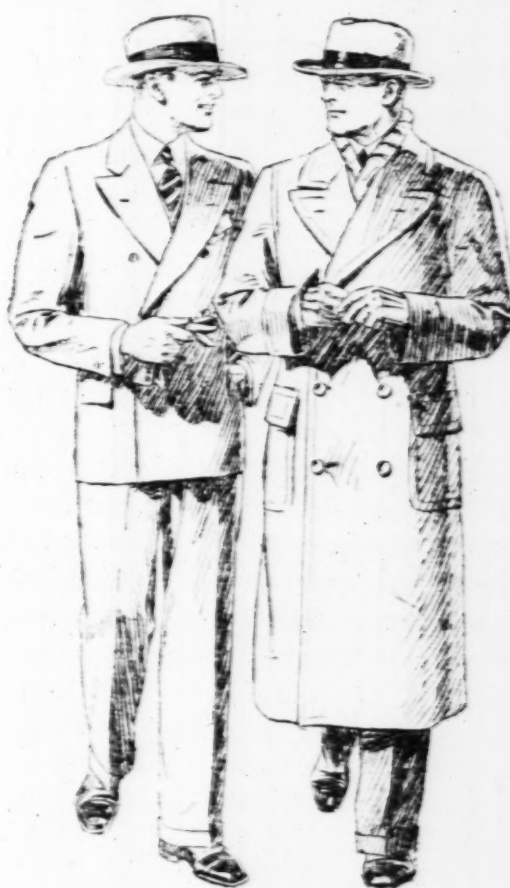
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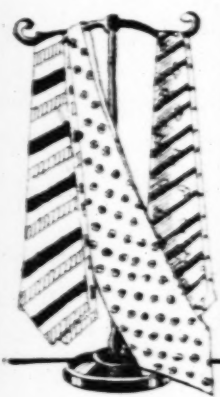
Sale of Men's Gloves A Specially Reduced Group at \$1.65

This group includes Adler and other outstanding makes of dependable men's Gloves. A wide selection of cape, suede and buck materials in lined or unlined styles. All sizes. Exceptional values.

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Such quality brands as Adler, Hayes, Perrin and Fowne are included in this important group of Gloves. Buck, mocha and cape, lined and unlined, strap, snap fastener, and gauntlet styles. All sizes. (Men's Furnishing Dept.—Main Floor.)

Sale of Neckwear Unusual Values in Silk Ties at \$1.00



Men's finest imported and domestic silk Ties such as Alpine Mogadores, Scotch spun, fine reps, chambray, faille and many others are offered at this low price. Striped and figured patterns. Most of these Ties are handsewn with bias wool linings. (Men's Furnishing Dept.—Main Floor.)

Sale of Men's Shoes Offers Outstanding Values \$4.95 and \$6.45

Hundreds of pairs of well-made Oxfords and high Shoes representing our discontinued and incomplete lines are included in this sale. In tan and black calf and brown and black kid leathers. The size range is incomplete. (Men's Shoe Dept.—Main Floor.)



Reductions on Auto Supplies Denatured Alcohol Gallon, 79c

Genuine Pyro, 188-proof Denatured Alcohol—a dependable anti-freeze. One-gallon cans.

Radiator Shutters \$4.25

Unit-type Shutters, easily fitted to most large cars. Improve motor efficiency in cold weather.

Fringed Auto Robes 20% Off

Entire stock of imported and domestic Robes in varied colors and patterns. Some high-grade plush Robes included. (Auto Accessories Dept.—Fourth Floor.)



Sheep-Lined Coats for Men Reduced to \$8.95

Men's belted model Coats, made of smooth-finished moleskin cloth with a deep shawl collar. Have four leather reinforced pockets and are lined with selected sheep pelts, sleeves with knitted wristlets. Sizes 36 to 42. (Sporting Goods—Fourth Floor.)

Sale of Men's Shirts Imported and Domestic Broadcloth \$1.45

Extraordinary values are offered in this selection of well-tailored Shirts for men. Made of imported and domestic broadcloth—solid grays, tans, blues and whites—in striped and checked patterns on dark background. All sizes and all sleeve lengths.



Generously cut in neck-band, collar-attached and collar-to-match styles with French and barrel cuffs. (Men's Shirt Dept.—Main Floor.)

Royston-Hi Suits Of Blue Unfinished Worsted, Suitable for Graduation Wear \$35

A correctly cut double-breasted Suit specially designed for the youth. Made of a plain blue unfinished worsted material. Has blunted vest and two pairs of long trousers. The sizes are from 33 to 36.



Royston-Hi Double-Breasted Blue Chevots \$30

Youth's English model Royston Hi Suits made of a high quality all-wool blue chevot. Well-tailored with blunted vest and two long trousers. Sizes 33 to 36.

Royston-Hi Blue Pencil Striped Suits With Two Trousers, \$25

Tailored in a popular blue pencil striped material that will give long service. The latest model with blunted vest and two long trousers. Sizes 33 to 36. (Students Section—Fourth Floor.)

Enjoy the Convenience of the Men's Barber Shop—Fourth Floor.

Sensenbrenner's
SIXTH AND ST. CHARLES
Special! 9 to 1 Only!

New Spring Hats \$5 and \$6 Values



Models From Our Own Higher-Priced Stock

\$2



New Styles!
New Colors!
New Materials!
New Trims!

Misses' Hats!
Matrons' Hats!
Large Hats!
Small Hats!

50 Felt Hats, \$4.95 Values, Included at \$2

Real savings for the alert morning shopper. Just a limited number on sale to stimulate morning business. Be sure to come early for best selection. (Second Floor.)

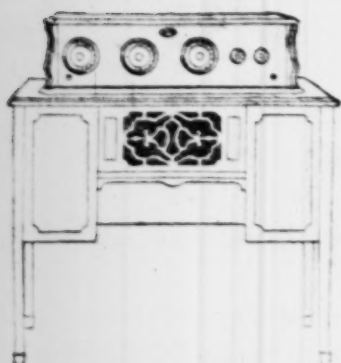
Store Open Saturday Until 6 o'Clock

STIX BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Enjoy the Air's Best Entertainment With This

Sonora Five-Tube Radio Receiving Set



Sonora Radio Complete and Installed \$195.25

Including Console Sonora speaker, Trickle "A" battery charger, "A" battery, aerial equipment, "B" batteries, phone plug and five R.C.A. tested tubes.

Three-Dial Control Combining Selectivity With Tone Quality

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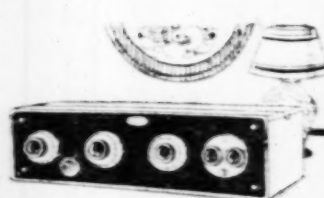
An instrument that reproduces the resonant charm of the Sonora Phonograph. Uses the highly successful tuned radio frequency circuit with specially developed features. Very selective and gives an unusual tone quality when used in combination with the Sonora console speaker.

Complete equipment for this set, including Sonora console speaker, may be purchased at very reasonable prices.

Atwater Kent Five-Tube Radio Set Complete for \$125

Compact No. 21-C Atwater Kent dry cell five-tube Radio Set. Three dials and very selective. Complete with best equipment "A" batteries, loud speaker, two 45-volt "B" batteries, "C" battery and aerial equipment. Small installation charge.

Convenient Terms May Be Arranged



(Radio Dept.—Fourth Floor.)

Broadcasting Station WSBF 273-METER WAVE-LENGTH

STIX

Misses' A



Junior Fur Dress or School \$1

The Coats for school wear plaid materials with sturdy lashed. The Dress Coats of are trimmed with fur collar.

Raincoats & Coats Half Price

Included are Capes and Coats popular styles—rubberized, hoods and straight-lined Raincoats, the little girl. Desirable make school days more pleasant.

Sample Under Offer Unusual



Sample Garm

In this group, too, Gowns, Evening individual designs, trimmed with and hemstitching. Very special

New Kid Novelty Styles



Kid Gloves \$1.95

—of imported real kid, with Paris point or heavily embroidered backs. Some have bandolier tops. Colors and sizes broken.

Women's 8-button cap quality—black and col

STIX, BAER & FULLER

GRAND-LEADER

Store Open Saturday Until 6 o'Clock

New Brunswick Records

—Out Today—

No. 2992 Just a Little Bit Bad—fox trot—
75c Ben Bernie's Orchestra
Sleepy Time Gal—fox trot—
Ben Bernie's Orchestra
(Fourth Floor.)

Misses' Winter Coats Reduced Are Sale Values of Importance



\$43 \$53 \$63

The styling of the Coats is recent and the quality of a character that makes them rare values. The favored shades, clever neck lines and cuffs; hems with flares—all are details of style to contribute to the desirability of the models. Silk linings, tailored finish, and reliable furs establish the Coats' quality. Sizes 14 to 18.

Misses' Silk Frocks \$11.75

The Frocks of crepe-back satin or crepe de chine are shown in Winter styles. Two-piece or straightlined models trimmed in tinsel effects or in silks of contrasting hue. Sizes 14 to 18 years.

Misses' Wool Frocks \$8.75

Misses' two-piece Frocks of bal-briggan made with turtle neck or convertible collar are trimmed in hand-painted designs or buttons placed to effect a tailored smartness. High colors and dark shades. (The Misses' Store—Third Floor.)

Junior Fur-Trimmed Coats

Dress or School Styles—Greatly Reduced

\$19 and \$24

The Coats for school wear are sport types tailored of novelty check and plaid materials with sturdy fur collars. Boyish of line and simply finished. The Dress Coats of derona and other pile materials in high shades are trimmed with fur collars and cuffs, and elaborations. Sizes 13 to 17.

Raincoats & Capes Half Price

Included are Capes and Coats in the popular styles—rubberized Capes with hoods and straightlined Raincoats for the little girl. Desirable pieces to make school days more pleasant.

Girls' Dresses \$7.75 and \$9.75

Two-piece and tailored straight-lined Dresses are included. They are shown in reps, velveteens, jerseys, flannels and serges. Simply tailored and self trimmed—serviceable school frocks. (The Jaunty Junior Dept.—Third Floor.)



Sample Undermuslins Offer Unusual Values

\$1.00



Garments attractively fashioned and well-made, of nain-sook, cambric and crepe, may be chosen from this group at extremely low cost. There are Gowns, Envelope Chemises, Slips, Corset Covers, Step-Ins and Drawers—in many styles, only one or two of a kind.

Sample Garments at \$1.50

In this group, too, Gowns, Envelopes and Princess Slips in individual designs, trimmed with lace, embroidery, medallions and hemstitching. Very special values. (Second Floor.)

New Kid Gauntlets

Novelty Styles for Women



Kid Gloves \$1.95

—of imported real kid, with Paris point or heavily embroidered backs. Some have bandalette tops. Colors and sizes broken.

Gauntlets 95c

Double silk Gauntlets with gored cuffs and strap at wrist. Sizes 5½ to 6½ in black; sizes 6 to 7 in colors. Lined with silk.

Women's 8-button capeskin Gloves, best quality—black and colors. \$2.45 (Main Floor.)



Fresh Strawberries
—Covered With Milk Chocolate

69c Lb.

The first of the season—large, luscious Florida Berries, in rich cream fondant, coated with milk chocolate. Be sure to take home a box as a treat for the family.

Saturday Special 39c Lb.—2 Lbs. 75c

This combination includes one pound of assorted milk chocolates and one pound of homemade candies.

Homemade Taffies and Nut Brittles, assorted in 1-lb. boxes, .25c
Large Paper-Shell Peppermint, new crop, lb., 49c
Hershey's Broken Milk Chocolate, lb., .39c (Main Floor.)

Royston Jr. Graduation Suits

Our Own Special Brand for Boys of 14 to 20 Years

Blue Pencil Striped Suits \$20

These new Royston Jr. double-breasted model Suits are tailored to conform with fashion's latest edict. Made of a fine quality blue pencil striped fabric with blunted vest and two English straight-cut trousers. Sizes are 14 to 20.



Boys' Blue Flannel Suits at \$22.50

An assortment of Royston Jr. double-breasted model Suits, tailored in blue flannel. Have loose fitting coats, blunted vests and two long trousers. Sizes are 13 to 16. Extra knickers to match may also be purchased.

Unfinished Worsted Suits With Two Long Pants, \$30

A group of boys' Royston Jr. Suits, made of blue unfinished worsted material. Single and double breasted models with blunted vest and two long trousers. Sizes 15 to 18.

Blue Pencil Stripes With Two Knickers, \$15.98

Exclusive Royston Jr. Suits, tailored of quality blue pencil striped fabrics. English models with blunted vest and two pairs of lined knickers. Sizes 12 to 18. (Boys' Own Store—Fourth Floor.)

Women's Smart Footwear

Two Groups at Reduced Prices

\$5.95 and \$7.45

The styles will be recognized as smart and desirable, and the quality measures up to our regular standards. Pumps, straps and Oxfords may be chosen in patent leather, black satin and tan calf in wide variety.

This footwear is reduced from our own stocks, wherever size ranges are incomplete. (Main Floor.)



Clearing of BOOKS.

Books for children, .25c
2000 Novels, popular copyrights and many original high-priced editions, .39c
Collins Classics and many titles in the Everyman's Library; 100, each, .35c
Leather Gift Books; many standard works, priced as low as .65c, .95c, \$1.35, etc.
Books taken from our Classified Stocks of Poetry, Biography, Business Books, etc., at reductions averaging 50% (Second Floor.)

Children's Footwear

Is Greatly Reduced

\$2.75 to \$3.95

In patent leather, smoked elk and tan calf, we are showing a wide range of styles in high Shoes and low Shoes. All sizes are represented in some style:

5½ to 8\$2.75
8½ to 11\$3.00
11½ to 2\$3.95
2½ to 7\$3.95 (Main Floor.)



Toilet Articles

Bath Tablets made by the Palmolive Company; each 7c; dozen, .75c
French Face Powder, box, .10c
Fanchon Face Powder, .13c
Rose Geranium Bath Salts, .26c
Jergens' Violet Glycerine Soap, cake, .6c
Elicaya Witch Hazel Cream, .38c
Elicaya Face Powder, large box, .69c
Palmolive Shampoo, .26c
Hennafoam Shampoo, .33c
Schratz Bath Powder, .26c (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Thrift Avenue The Buy-Way of St. Louis

Umbrellas, \$1.95

Samples, including all-silk, mixtures and mercerized. Some are slightly imperfect. Black, amber and pearloid trimmings. Men's and misses' Umbrellas also in the lot.

Corselettes and Girdles, \$1.49

Wrap-around Girdles and Corselettes of fancy and plain brocades in broken sizes and discontinued models. All sizes.

Hats, \$2.95 to \$5.00

Of silk, crepe, faille, cloth and straw combinations in the close-fitting and other popular models, trimmed with flowers, ribbons, ornaments.

Women's Gloves 95c Pair

Novelty fabrics fully shrunk in flare or turn-down cuff styles. Color and size range is good.

Felt Juliets, \$1.29

Women's ribbon-trimmed felt Juliets with leather soles and rubber heels.

Boys' Blouses, 69c

Made of percale, madras and satin stripe madras in solid colors and striped patterns. Sizes 9 to 16.

Princess Slips, \$1.50

Of cotton satinay with hip hemline and bodice top. Flesh or white. 36 to 44. (Thrift Avenue—Main Floor.)

Semi-Annual Sale of FURNITURE

Begins Monday, January 18

At nine o'clock Monday morning we launch our Semi-Annual Sale of Furniture. For this important event we offer an unusual collection of high-grade Furniture—truly desirable from every standpoint—at remarkable savings to home-makers.

Saturday Is Courtesy Day

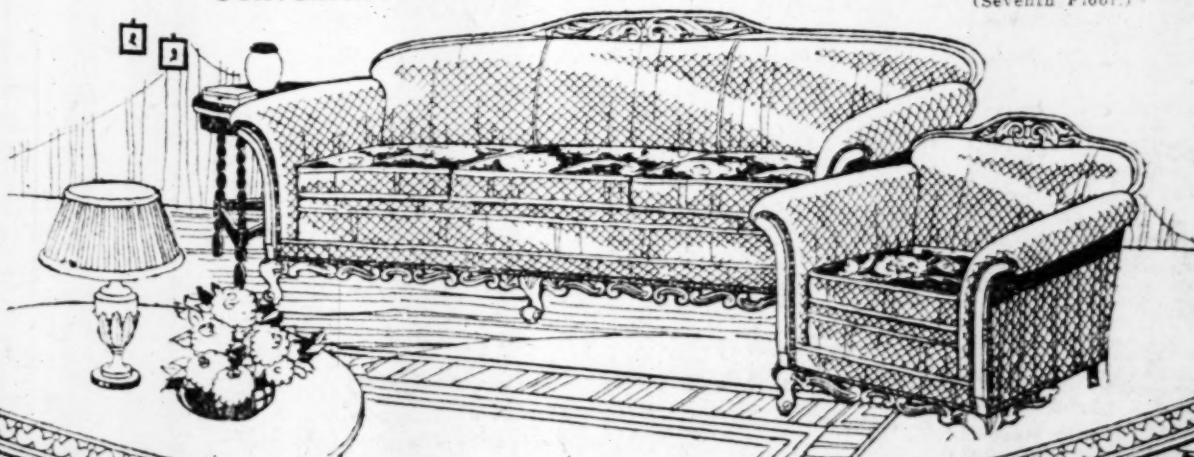
Saturday the Furniture Section keeps "Open House"—an occasion arranged for your leisurely selection of the Furniture you contemplate purchasing. You are invited to come and inspect the exceptional offerings.

Two-Piece Mohair Living-Room Suite

\$227.50

This Suite consists of a full-length davenport and comfortable armchair to match, upholstered with a high-grade taupe mohair, and equipped with loose, spring-filled cushions reversed in a good grade of silk brocatelle. The exposed wood is genuine mahogany.

Convenient Terms of Payment May Be Arranged.



HARVARD SINGERS CRITICISED
Gloom Club Suggested as Name After Refusal to Enter Contest.
By the Associated Press.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 15.—A suggestion that the Harvard Glee Club be rechristened the "Harvard Gloom Club" is contained in a letter in the current issue of the Harvard Alumni Bulletin from Thomas W. Stocumb of New York, overseer of the college, and former president of the Associated Harvard Clubs. Stocumb criticizes the glee club for its recent refusal to participate in the annual intercollegiate glee club contest because of "selected prize song is too simple."
Stocumb's criticism is answered by G. Wallace Woodworth, 24, acting conductor of the club, who declares that "Harvard did not protest against the prize song for this year because it was 'too simple.' Harvard protested solely against the musical inferiority of the song, its lack of real musical worth."

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610 N. Broadway
Saturday Special
Blond and Gray Kid Footwear
Beautiful Gray and Blond Kid Footwear in high and military heels, pump and oxford styles.
\$2.88
Values \$3.50 to \$6.00
All Sizes
Satin, Patent, Tan
In plain pumps, oxford and oxford styles.
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\$1.88
Values \$2.50 to \$3.00
Special! \$1.00
Clean-up of 320 pairs that sold up to \$3.00.

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COATS, SUITS, DRESSES,
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The Greatest Bargain Event in St. Louis

\$10 Women's Coats	\$ 3.95
\$15 Women's Coats	\$ 5.95
\$20 Women's Coats	\$ 7.95
\$25 Women's Coats	\$ 9.95
\$30 Women's Coats	\$12.95
\$35 Women's Coats	\$14.95
\$40 Extra-Size Coats	\$16.95
\$45 Stout Coats	\$19.95
\$10 Women's Dresses	\$ 2.95
\$15 Women's Dresses	\$ 4.95
\$25 Women's Dresses	\$ 9.95
\$35 Red Fox Furs	\$ 9.95

MILLINERY
ALMOST GIVEN AWAY
\$3 to \$4 HATS 50c
\$4 to \$6 HATS 95c
\$6 to \$10 HATS \$1.95

INTEREST DISPLAYED IN COUNTY IN EXPOSITION BY WOMEN
Speakers Addressing Meetings in Behalf of Gathering in Coliseum Next Month.
County women have become interested in the progress of the Women's National Exposition in the Coliseum, Feb. 18 to 23, according to Mrs. Howard R. Clark, chairman of the speakers' bureau for the exposition.
The women of the county are practical in what they expect from the exposition and our speakers before women's clubs and churches in the county report the women as asking questions as to what they will learn at the exposition of household saving devices and ways to support themselves.
Mrs. J. H. Herron of Kirkwood is one of the speakers active in promoting interest among the county women today. She will address a number of women at the Haggerty Memorial Church, Webster Groves, at 2:30 p. m., on the progress of the exposition.

POULTRY TRUST INQUIRY DISCLOSED BY OFFICIAL
Assistant to Attorney-General Tells Senate Investigators of Effort Under Sherman Act.
By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—An investigation of a poultry trust, under the Sherman antitrust law, is under way by the Department of Justice, John L. Lott, a special assistant to the Attorney-General, disclosed today before the Senate Judiciary Committee.
Lott was testifying in the aluminum inquiry. He did not say what comprises the poultry trust. "I don't even know that those fellows know we are after them," he said.
MEMORIAL TO RISE 270 FEET
Beacon to Shine From Top of War Monument in Rhode Island.
PROVIDENCE, R. I., Jan. 15.—A "Temple of Sacrifice" in monumental form, unlike any other World War memorial in the East, will be erected by the Providence Memorial Committee on a design presented by Mrs. Harry Payne Whitney.
Rising from a circular base 70 feet in diameter to a height of 270 feet will be a huge round fortress tower of brick and terra cotta on a steel frame, surmounted by a sculptured temple of sacrifice. Within will be a powerful beacon light which at night can be seen for 30 miles across Narragansett Bay. Lighted torches on the outside of the temple will add to its effectiveness. The interior will have stone floors and plastered walls. In the base will be commodious rooms for war trophies, records and other purposes.

Chickering Piano
The oldest Piano made in America—exclusively at Vandervoort's in St. Louis.

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Price Alone Proves Nothing

It is a well known fact that people who think only in terms of price actually pay more, relatively, for their merchandise than any other class of buyers, because they only look at what they pay, not at what they get!

It is not economy to sacrifice 20% of quality to obtain a 5% saving in price!

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Used Steinway Upright Piano

In Mahogany Case

\$97.50

Used Sohmer Upright Piano

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THESE Pianos are in excellent condition and are only two of 39 extraordinary values in Pianos, Players and Reproducing Pianos.
Music Salon—Sixth Floor.

Q. R. S. Rolls Are Better!

JUST received—a new shipment of popular Word Rolls. Such late releases as: "Nyla," "Show Me the Way to Go Home," "Five Foot Two, Eyes of Blue," "You Forget to Remember," "Linger," "Brown Eyes," and many others.

\$1 Each
Warner Roll Shop—Sixth Floor.

New Spring Footwear Fashions Arrive for the Young Miss!

Only \$6 Pair

EVEN casual appraisal establishes the chic distinction of the new models. Add their perfect-fitting comfort, their price so kind to wardrobe allowances, and the result is irresistible to young misses wearing sizes 2½ to 8. Widths AA to C.

ABOVE — Patent leather Pump with smart cut-out ornamented kid trim. Leather heel.

RIGHT — Patent leather Pump with smart cut-out ornamented kid trim. Leather heel.

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R. ACCIDENT RECORD IMPROVED DURING 1925

Per Cent of Total 19,171
Were Collisions With Mo-
tor Vehicles.

Tabulation of accidents during 1925 by the St. Louis Safety Council shows a marked decrease in all types in which the United Railways was involved. Organized accident prevention work started by the company in 1924 is credited as the cause of improvement.

There were 19,171 accidents on the United Railways property in 1925, a decrease of 10.775 or 56.2 per cent from collisions between street cars and motor vehicles, a decrease of accidents which grew from 19,107 to a maximum of 12,609 in 1925.

The trolley company was involved, more or less, in 31 fatal accidents. Of these the Safety Council says: "Three were to employees, one to a passenger, one to a driver of a wagon, 19 to passengers of motor vehicles, and 18 to pedestrians. This is the sixth best record in 19 years. The worst number was in 1920 and 22 with 25 each, and the highest being 70."

Aside from the accidents involving motor vehicles, the council has pointed out that the total of "other accidents," 8296 compares very favorably with a high number of 22,400 in 1920.

The statistics show that street cars carried 2465 passengers to each accident, ever slight, and that the number of passengers carried has increased from 213,945,149 in 1907 to 284,164 in 1925, and street traffic, vehicular and pedestrian, has increased about 400 per cent.

Among the various types of accidents the following classes are low: Collisions with wagons, 444. Collisions with persons, 531. Collisions with animals, 41. Car collisions, 276. Car derailments, 126. Boarding and alighting, 2046. Employees injured, 115.

The splendid results shown in accidents in which employees were involved is worthy of special note. Council concludes, and credits showing to the many safety meetings held during the year by men, maintenance and repair men of the company. Special safety meetings during the year to 4-205.

French Nude, Nude, Brown, Russian Calf, Log Cabin, Neutral, Airedale, Apricot, Black and White.
First Floor Tables.

Made in Our Own
Sunlit Kitchens!

1 Lb., 50c
2 Lbs., 95c

Assorted milk and dark chocolates, orange and lemon bonbons, raspberry pecan jumbles.
Candy Shop—First Floor.

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CHRISTMAS CAROL SINGERS COLLECTED TOTAL OF \$5281

Increase of \$1800 Over Figure of Year Before; Money for Child Welfare.

A total of \$5281 was collected by the groups of Christmas carol singers during Christmas week, according to announcement today by Lansing F. Smith, president of the St. Louis Christmas Carols Association, the amount being \$1800 more than was collected at the Christmas previous.

The money will be apportioned among agencies concerned with child welfare, and some of it will go to the aid of crippled, undernourished and sick children.

The collection may be slightly increased by further reports from

some of the 300 groups, representing churches, schools, civic organizations, singing societies and neighborhood associations, who joined in the carols. Each of the group leaders has received a letter of acknowledgment and thanks from the Association, together with an expression of hope that the band would again contribute its services to the carol singing next Christmas.

Man Ill of Food Poisoning.

Claude McCracken, 34 years old, of 2414 Washington boulevard, a waiter in a restaurant near Grand boulevard and Olive street was stricken with ptomaine poison a half hour after he had eaten a meal in the place last midnight. He was taken to City Hospital in serious condition.

BUSY BEE
Lady Love
CHOCOLATES
Can be purchased from the leading
druggist in your vicinity

Monte Carlo Slice
As gay looking as the Casino itself, with green pistachio nuts speckled thru its pure, white marshmallow center... and all ringed 'round with candied pecan meats... packed with Assorted (wrapped) Caramels and Assorted Chocolates in

Saturday's Sunday Candy Special
One Pound Box... 50c Make the Week End a Sweet End Two Pound Box... \$1.00

THRIFT DAY in the Bakery
Sunday's Ben Franklin's Birthday

Iced Butter Snails.....	5c
Caramel Rolls.....	30¢ & 40¢
Apple Pies.....	50¢
Jelly Pound Cake.....	60¢
Hazelnut Stollen, VERY SPECIAL	30¢

6TH AND OLIVE 417 N. SEVENTH
No Candies Like Busy Bee Candies

HOYLE & BARICK CLOTHING CO.

NO MONEY DOWN
Clearance Sale
Sensational Reductions
High Quality Clothing at 25% Saving

Men's Fine Wool O'COATS
Values Up to \$39.50
\$29.50
Also Groups at \$32.50, \$39.50, \$47.50

Ladies' Winter COATS
Formerly Priced to \$35
\$19.75
Similar Reductions on Every Winter Coat

Clearance Special
Share in This Bargain Event
DRESSES
YOUR CHOICE Formerly priced at \$29.50 to \$39.50
Never Before a Value Like This
\$10.98

Prices Reduced
FUR COATS
Sacrificing Entire Stock at Big Price Cut

Boys' O'coats \$11.95
Millinery Any Hat in our stock \$1.98
HOYLE & BARICK CLOTHING CO.
EAST ST. LOUIS STORE: 314 COLLINSVILLE AV. 606 North Broadway TWO DOORS NORTH OF WASHINGTON AV.

OPEN SATURDAY UNTIL 9 P. M.

Nugents

Dependable Merchandise Always at Lowest Prices!
St. Louis Largest Basement

MEN! Take Your Share of the Profits!
A Special Purchase and Sale of
1650 Men's and Young Men's
Suits and Overcoats
Representing a "clean-up of the season's" purchase from two large makers of men's fine clothes offered at half price and less.

\$13

The Majority Are of Strictly All-Wool Fabrics
A Complete Selection of Colors and Patterns

Not in Years Have We Held a Sale Like This

Overcoats
Of every description; big bulky Ulsters, box-back English type Coats, and smart belted Coats. All new shades of gray, brown, blue, etc. All beautifully trimmed and will give wonderful service.

One and Two Trouser Suits
The majority being of all-wool fabrics. Tailored correctly and in styles that are correct for the extreme or conservative man. A size range to fit every one, including the stout man. Plenty of Suits for the high school youth.

Men's Dress Trousers
Hundreds of fine Trousers tailored by master craftsmen, of fine wools, worsteds and chevrons, and a complete range of patterns; all sizes 28 to 44 waist. Plenty of English type wide bottoms. On sale at **\$3.95**

Men's Jean Trousers
\$225 Values—The greatest and best work Trousers made. Gray and brown shades. Wear like iron. All sizes 32 to 42 waist; all lengths **\$1.79**

Come Early and Get Choice Selections

400 Women's and Misses' A SPECIAL PURCHASE
FUR-TRIMMED COATS
Beautifully Fur Trimmed, Fur Cuffs, Fur Collars and Fur Borders

No longer a question of price. We have made up our mind to reduce our stock of women's Winter Coats. We have taken many of our higher priced Coats to be sold at \$11—just for quick clearance. You will be surprised when you see these Coats at this price.....

\$11

We Don't Guarantee This Lot to Last All Day, so Come Early
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

The Second Day of Our
Great Seven-Dollar Dress Sale
For Women, Misses and Stouts

Delayed shipments make this second day sale possible. Even better assortment, styles, colors and materials represent this lot. Women that could not come yesterday have the opportunity to take advantage of this sale Saturday. But we advise early shopping for best selections.

\$7

Plenty of Dresses for Larger Women
Look for the Green Tag
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

Fur Coats REDUCED!
\$70 to \$100 Values
Included in this sale are Coats of Northern seal (dyed), marmink (dyed marmot), silver cone y, mink, coney.
All Coats are self trimmed or with collars and cuffs or borders of contrasting fur.
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

\$59

Special Values in New Spring
Footwear
For Women and Girls
New blonde kid pumps, tan calf, cut-out Oxfords, patent leather and tan calf ties, pretty satin, and patent strap, as well as staple styles in brown or black kid.
Sizes 2½ to 8.....
Out on racks according to sizes.
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

\$2.95

MEN! SALE OF Shoes
Men, your new Spring Oxfords are here, new light tan calf, brown calf, brown kid, black calf and black kid. New styles of lace, blons for school, business or dress wear.
Sizes 6 to 11
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

\$3.95

MOTHERS! BIG REDUCTIONS SATURDAY ON Girls' Coats and Dresses

The Coats \$3
Polaires Velours Cheviots Plaids All Full Lined and Fur Trimmed
Sizes 6 to 14

The Dresses \$3
Balbriggans Flannels Crepes Cotton Velours Georgettes Novelties
Sizes 8 to 14

We advise early shopping as this lot of coats will not last long at this low price. You will want several, so be here early for choice selections.
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

BOYS! KEEP WARM
With a Nice, New
Overcoat or Mackinaw
Hundreds of Finest Garments for Boys From 3 to 18 Years

Dandy Overcoats, box back or belted styles with large convertible collars that keep the cold out. Heavy overcoating in new colorings. And 100% all-wool Mackinaws in bright plaid effects.....

\$5.75

Boys' Heavy Fleece Union Suits—
Sizes 4 to 16. Special **89c**
(Nugents—Bargain Basement.)

SUIT FOR SWINDLER'S BOND

CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Suit for the collection of a \$10,000 criminal bond forfeited a month ago by James Brady, pal of the swindler "Chaplin" Moran, was filed in District Court here yesterday by United States Attorney Edwin A. Olson.

Brady was arrested here in November on a St. Louis indictment charging him, Moran and others with conspiracy to use the mails to defraud. Postoffice Inspector charged they had fleeced wealthy Illinoisans out of more than \$125,000 in fake stock and racehorse deals. The sureties on Brady's bond, both of whom were named defendants in the suit of yesterday, were Betty M. Carey and Rosa A. Judea of Chicago.

The Subway Sells for Cash Only No Subway Deliveries

Boyd's Subway's Great January Double-Header Clothing Sale

The Double-Header Sale may be two Suits, two Overcoats or a Suit and Overcoat from the same group or two different price groups: in this case each Suit or Overcoat will be one-half its respective Double-Header price.

Two persons may each make a single purchase at the Double-Header price provided one sale is made for both garments.

\$25 and \$30
Suits—Overcoats—
Gabardines

Two **\$33**
for....

Broken lots of dark colored Suits—warm Overcoats in good qualities, but broken selection of colors and styles—tan gabardines.

\$35 and \$40
Two-Trouser Suits—
Overcoats

Two **\$49**
for....

This season's Overcoats in tube models, half-belt ulsters and box-back models. Satin lined. Plaid-back woollens—blues, grays and overplaids. Single and double breasted Suits—good patterns and woollens—all with two pairs of trousers.

\$30 and \$35
Suits—Topcoats

Two **\$41**
for....

Desirable Suits—well tailored, late models. New Spring Topcoats—box-back models. Good colors and patterns. Satin lined.

\$40 and \$45
Two-Trouser Suits

Two **\$57**
for....

Fine single and double breasted Suits—good fitting and well tailored—casimeres, worsteds and fine chevrons. Plain blues, neat stripes and other good patterns—all have two pairs of trousers.

Continuing the Semi-Annual Shirt Sale

Imported and domestic broadcloths, Oxfords, poplins, Shasta cloth, madras and fine percales. Neckband, collar-attached and collar-to-match styles. Whites, solid colors and neat stripes. Many fine Wilson Bros. Shirts which have slight misweaves are included.

\$2.00, \$2.50, \$3.00 Qualities

\$1.55

3 for \$4.20

\$3.00, \$3.50, \$4.00 Qualities

\$1.95

3 for \$5.25

Two other groups at \$1.20 or 3 for \$3.00 and \$2.85 or 3 for \$7.50

\$2.00 and \$2.50
Knit Union Suits
\$1.45

Medium and heavy weights. Ecru, white and mixtures. Some are seconds.

\$2.00 and \$2.50
Gloves, **\$1.55**

Fine cape leathers, tan and cordovan.

\$1.00 and \$1.25
Neckwear, **55c**

Silk and wool, mogadores, moires, reps and other silks. Good patterns.

\$1.00, \$1.25 and \$1.50
Hosiery, **55c**

Fancy wools, plain silks. Fancy silk mixtures. Slight seconds.

Men's Shoes, \$5.95

Blacks, tans, high and low Shoes; all sizes; an exceptional value at \$5.95

Boyd's
Boyd-Richardson
Olive and Sixth

\$2.50 Envelope Chemise

—of fine quality crepe de chine and radium Envelope Chemise. Bodice-top style, trimmed with fine laces and hem-stitching. Pastel colors. Sizes 36 to 44. **\$1.95**

(Nuggets—Second Floor, South.)

The New **Nuggets**
The Store for ALL the People

Rayon Undergarments

Envelope Chemise of lustrous rayon, ice top, with ribbon shoulder; also step-in drawers, trimmed with lace edge and medallions. Sizes 36 to 44. Colors flesh, Nile, honey and maize. Each. **\$1.95**

(Nuggets—Second Floor, South.)

New Spring Dresses

Attractive models in Georgette, flat crepe, crepe satin, and suede crepe.

Colors
Boiderose
Palmetto Green
Navy, Light Blue
Black, Tan
and Gray
Cocoa, White
Raspberry

\$25

New collars, new sleeves, new flares and godets; ribbon and lace trimmings, as well as plain tailored styles. Styles for theater, dance, afternoon, business and sport wear.

Sizes for Misses, Women and Stouts

New Spring Dresses

Dresses of crepe satin, flat crepe, Georgette, Jacquard satin and faille silk. New collars and sleeves, flares and godets, straightlines and belted styles, bottom pockets, contrasting materials, fine tucks, touches of ray embroidery and bands. Sizes for misses, women and stouts. **\$16.75**

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Imported Perfumes



Lutherie's Miracle Perfume—In small size at \$1. Larger sizes \$2.25 to \$20
Miracle Toilet Water \$8.50
Guerlain's Blue Hour \$3.50 to \$11
Blue Hour Bulk—\$3.50
Coty's Perfume—Original bottles \$1 to \$7.25; bulk \$2.90 and \$4.50
Caron's Black Narcisse Perfume—Original \$3 to \$11.50; bulk \$2.90 to \$4.50
Lionel's Goldwing—Original bottles \$4.50 and \$7.50; bulk \$3.75
Dier-Kiss Vegetal \$1.25
Dier-Kiss Toilet Water \$1.75
Yardley's Old English Lavender Toilet Water, 75c and \$1
(Nuggets—Main Floor, North.)

Boujols Falcon's of Perfume 69c
Houbigant's Quelques Fleurs—Original bottles \$4 and \$7.50



Nadco Chiffon Hose

All-silk Chiffon Hose, well reinforced heels and toes. In the wanted shades. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Pair. **\$1.95**

Nadco Service Hose

Silk full-fashioned Hose, like tops, well reinforced heels and toes. In wanted shades. Sizes 5 1/2 to 10. Pair. **\$1.85**

(Nuggets—Main Floor, North.)

Clearing Sale

Winter Coats
\$24 \$34 \$44

Furs Materials Styles
Beaver Squirrel Montebello Back, Front and Side
Fitch Wolf Pinpoint Flares
Manchurian Wolf Bolivia Straightline Models
Beaverette Moufflon Avanzada and Wrappy
and Other Furs Fine Suede Effects
Duvbloom

All Colors All Sizes for Women, Misses, Stouts

Coats Reduced
To **\$12.95 \$16.95 \$19**

The first time this year have Coats been advertised at these prices on our Second Floor. Desirable materials, good styles and colors. Fur trimmed and plain styles. Sizes for women and misses. Dress and sports models.

(Nuggets—Second Floor, South.)

Graduation Frocks and Uniforms for Juniors

For Confirmation and Graduation



Charming white frocks and tailored skirts and blouses. Many fresh, lovely new white Frocks are ready for the January Graduation selection Saturday. Adorable Spring styles—in Canton crepe, crepe de chine and Georgette. There are sizes 12 to 19 and 6 to 14.

Priced

\$7.95 to \$35

150 Winter Coats, for Girls

Made of all-wool materials such as downy wool, pelaires, velours and Bouillas. All well lined and interlined and fur trimmed. Attractive styles in wanted colors. Sizes for girls 6 to 16 years **\$10.00**



We have lovely white rayon (quite as pretty as silk) Overblouses in two attractive styles. In sizes 6 to 20. Priced.

\$3.50

Also Rayon Skirts to Match

Pretty plaited styles—attached to body, priced. **\$3.50**

Also Same Garments

In imported English Broadcloths, priced at **\$1.95 and \$2.95**

Girls' Coat Sweaters

\$5.00

In red, navy, Copen, brown and tan. Sizes 25 to 34

(Nuggets—Second Floor, South.)

Hair Clipper
A well constructed Clipper, in the pop size—to keep the bobbed hair in trim. **\$9**
(Nuggets—Main Floor)

Our First

Not reduced! But which they will be so

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have collar to match. Colors. Sizes 13 1/2 to 17.

Men's Neckties

Beautiful stripes, check and flowered patterns, cut silk and silk-and-wool materials. All open-end style. A selection of neat patterns. Priced **\$1.00**

Undergarments
 of lustrous rayon; bod-
 in drawers,
 edge and
 36 to 44.
 le, honey and
\$1.95
 (Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

**The Latest in
 Belt Hats**
 In the
 New
 Colors:
 Pablo,
 Marie
 Antoinette,
 Lovebird,
 Italian Blue,
 Copper,
 Etc.
 felts that can be draped
 the wearer. Every model
\$4.95
 (Nugents—Second Floor, North.)

**Pairs of Women's
 Cy Gauntlets**
 and \$1.39 Values
 suede fabric, washable and
 Gauntlets. In the pretty
 turn-down cuff styles. Come
 in shades of
 heaver, gray,
 black. Sizes 6 to
89c
 (Nugents—Main Floor, North.)



**Juniors
 ce in Skirts**
\$5.00
 (Nugents—Second Floor, South.)

Hair Clippers
 A well constructed Hair
 Clipper, in the popular OO
 size—to keep
 the bobbed
 hair in trim... **95c**
 (Nugents—Main Floor, South.)

**Art Needlework
 Classes**
 Join our free classes of lamp shade
 making, embroidery, rug making, knitting
 and crystalline work. Competent teachers
 in attendance.
 (Art Needlework Dept.—Main Floor, South.)

**The New
 Nugents**
 The Store for ALL the People

"Snappy" Hits
 Sleepy Time Gal—Fox Trot.
 Just a Little Bit Bad—Fox Trot
 Both sides played by Ben Serine
 and His Hotel Roosevelt Orchestra
 No. 2992.
 Price **75c**

**Just Released on
 Brunswick Records**
 Headin' For Home—Fox Trot
 Played by Isham Jones and
 His Orchestra
 I Never Knew—Fox Trot
 Played by Regent Club Orchestra
 No. 2979.
 Price **75c**
 (Nugents—Third Floor, South.)

Our First January Sale of Men's Clothing in the New Men's Section Third Floor

Not reduced! But new—all new! They smack of style! They have quality. We are proud to offer them to our men patrons—worthy of the great new Men's Store in which they will be sold. Many clothing stores would get the regular price—but we are making new friends daily—let us prove this assertion.

Dress Well!



Sale Begins at 9 A. M.

The Entire Surplus Stock of a Celebrated Maker

**2000 Brand-New
 2-Trouser Suits**

and

Overcoats

We sell as we buy.
 Our good fortune is
 yours. Bought below
 cost of the production
 is the only reason for
 this sale. Style, quality
 and workmanship are
 unsurpassed! It is the
 one big opportunity of
 the New Year.

STYLE

25 Weeks to Pay



Have your pur-
 chases in your
 possession, be en-
 joying them while
 you pay for them
 on this Payment
 Plan.

MADE TO SELL FOR \$35, \$40 AND \$45
Sale Price

\$26

QUALITY

The Make?

For trade reasons we have prom-
 ised not to advertise the maker's
 name. It would embarrass other
 clothiers who handle this line in their
 regular stock.

**The Two-
 Trouser Suits**

Comprise the season's
 choicest patterns, fashioned in
 the wanted models. The En-
 glish double-breasted, the sin-
 gle-breasted, 2-button effects
 with broad shoulders and body
 tracing and close-fitting hips—
 also the conservative and semi-
 conservative effects.

In sizes to fit men of all builds—
 stouts, slims, shorts, stubs.

The Overcoats

Perfectly tailored in the newest accepted models. Of heavy woolsens—
 featuring the Tube Coat, also the double-breasted English boxy effects. An
 Overcoat for men of all tastes. Truly the greatest sale of choice overcoatings
 it has been our good fortune to offer our customers and friends for many
 a day. This is not a clearing sale of old stock but brand-new, fresh gar-
 ments. A real surprise awaits you. Be here when the store opens Saturday
 morning.

No Charge for Alterations

Expert Tailors to Fit You—

Dress Well! Look Your Best!

(Nugents—Third Floor, North.)

Look Your Best!



Third Floor—Elevators Direct



Novelty Rings

Sterling Silver Novelty Rings set with
 brilliant, white rhinestones, and others
 in novel styles, includ-
 ing cameos and combi-
 nations. Very attrac-
 tive Rings **98c**
 (Nugents—Main Floor, North.)

Men's Oxfords

Our \$8 Shoes represent the
 newest styles and finest quality
 possible to obtain in Shoes to
 retail at this price. Choice of
 black or tan calf,
 brown kid and genuine
 black kangaroo leath-
 ers. Sizes 6 to 11,
 widths A to D.
 Special **\$6**
 (Nugents—Third Floor, North.)



Clearing Sale of

**Men's
 Hats**

Regular \$3.50 and
 \$4.00 Values

Taken from our regular
 stocks—Velours, Felts, and
 Scratch Hats.
 Sizes 6 3/4 to
 7 3/4. Excep-
 tional val-
 ues **\$2.65**
 (Nugents—Third Floor, North.)

**\$7.50 Hartz Mountain
 Canary Birds**

Young, healthy Canary Birds
 that sing joyous-
 ly; all in full song
 and beautiful plu-
 mage. Special... **\$5.85**
 (Nugents—Fourth Floor, South.)



5000 Stylish Well-Made

Men's Shirts

\$1.95 to \$3.00 Values

Saturday the last day to buy these Shirts at this
 price. In this lot you will find woven madras, corded
 madras, "Kingsatin," Gotham prints, cotton flannel
 and other fine materials.

They come in neckband, collar attached and some
 have collar to match. Plain colors, fancy stripes and checked effects. All Shirts are fast
 colors. Sizes 13 1/2 to 17. Priced.....

Men's Neckties

Beautiful stripes, checks
 and flowered patterns, in
 cut silk and silk-and-wool
 materials. All open-end
 style. A selec-
 tion of neat pat-
 terns. Priced **\$1.00**

**Men's Cotton Flannel-
 ette Pajamas**

Men's Cotton Flannelette
 two-piece Pajamas—Rayon
 frog trimmed. All cut full
 and roomy.
 Sizes A **\$1.85**
 to D

**Men's \$3.50 and \$4.00
 Wool-Mixed Union
 Suits**

Medium and heavy-weight
 wool-mixed Union Suits—long
 sleeves, ankle length style.
 Slight seconds. Come in gray
 and mottled
 color. Sizes **\$2.98**
 36 to 46

**Men's Cotton Fleece
 Union Suits**

Winter weight Union Suits,
 cotton ribbed, fleeced garments
 with long sleeves and ankle
 length. In gray and ecru
 color. Sizes **\$1.69**
 36 to 46

Boys' Blue Graduation Suits

\$13.85 and \$17.45

Complete showing of new blues and neat striped effects, in the newest stylings
 are shown at these two prices. Come with one pair long and one pair short pants;
 also some with two knickers. Tailored in the season's accepted single and double
 breasted English models.

Clearance of Boys' Winter Overcoats

\$7.45 and \$12.45

Sizes
 3 to 10
 Years

Beautifully tailored are these newest stylings in Boys' Overcoats. Come in
 grays, plaids, checks, plain colorings and blue regulations.

Offering Saturday 140 of these fine Overcoats at these exceptional prices.

Boys' Blouses

The newest patterns and pastel shades.
 Made of good quality percales.
 Specially priced **98c**
 at.....

**Boys' \$1.50, \$2.00 and \$2.50
 Shirts and Blouses**

Madras, broadcloths, pongees—slight-
 ly soiled. Taken from our regular
 stocks and priced for quick
 clearance **\$1.19**

**Boys' \$2.45 and \$2.95
 Sweaters**

The popular coat style—made
 with two pockets and large
 collar; also the pull-over styles.
 In tan, maroon and blue colors.
 Sizes 26 to 34. **\$1.95**

Boys' Union Suits

Made in the popular ribbed
 style. In gray
 and ecru shades.
 Boys' sizes **89c**

**Boys' Lumberjacks
 Just Arrived!**

A new shipment of the popu-
 lar brown and tan checks and
 plaids. Sizes 8 to 18. **\$5**
 (Nugents—Third Floor, North.)



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Saturday
Until
6:30 P. M.

THE RELIABLE
S.E. COR. 8TH & FRANKLIN AV.
SATURDAY'S COMBINATION OFFER!



THIS 3-PIECE JACQUARD-VELOUR COIL
SPRING BED-DAVENPORT SUITE. \$275.00
2 MOIRE SATIN FANCY PILLOWS. \$30.00
25-LB. LAYER FELT MATTRESS. \$12.50

ALL 6
PIECES \$168.⁵⁵ ALL 6
PIECES

\$2 a Week The actual value of all 6 pieces is \$317.50. Great
special combination price for all 6 pieces, Saturday at \$168.50

16 MEN FOUND ALIVE IN MINE AFTER EXPLOSION

Seventeen Bodies Removed
From West Virginia
Shaft, Leaving Only Six
Men Unaccounted For.

BLAST REPORTED
AS MOST UNUSUAL

Scarcely Felt Above Ground
—Came on Eve of State-
Wide Campaign for Mine
Safety.

By the Associated Press.
FAIRMONT, W. Va., Jan. 15.—
Rescue workers returning to the
surface late today reported that 16
men had been found alive in the
Jamison Coal and Coke Co. mine
No. 8 at Farmington, near here,
which was wrecked by an explo-
sion last night. Seventeen bodies
were recovered during the day,
leaving six miners of those in the
mine at the time of the blast un-
accounted for. The rescue work-
ers said they communicated with
the entombed men.

Explosion Most Unusual.
The explosion was reported by
mine experts as one of the most
unusual in the history of West
Virginia mining. The blast spent
itself underground, those on the
surface noting only a slight tremor.
The blast came on the eve of a
State-wide campaign for mine safe-
ty, launched by R. M. Lambie,
chief of the West Virginia De-
partment of Mines. Only yesterday
Lambie, citing the Wilburton ex-
plosion as an example, issued a
statement to miners and operators,
warning them that the cold
weather added to the hazard of gas
and dust explosions.

Among the bodies were those of
W. E. Myers, 33 years old, and his
son, Herbert Myers, 27, both of
West Chester, a town near Farm-
ington.

Horses Taken Out Alive.
A number of horses stabled in
the mine were taken out alive this
morning.

The Jamison mine is operated
under the monition plan and is
one of the largest in the district.

81 Bodies Recovered From Okla-
homa Mine.

By the Associated Press.
WILBURTON, Ok., Jan. 15.—
The work of recovering 81 bodies
from the Degnan-McConnell Mine
No. 1, near here, which was
wrecked by a gas explosion early
Wednesday, halted temporarily
late last night when 81 bodies,
most of them Negroes, had been
recovered. The remaining bodies
are in the debris and the passage-
ways will have to be cleared before
they can be reached.

At 11 o'clock last night the work
of hauling bodies to the surface
in the huge iron kettles used as a
makeshift hoist was stopped. All
but five of the bodies taken from
the mine have been identified.
Funeral services for many of the
dead were held today. Forty con-
sults were sent from the state peni-
tentiary at McAlester to dig the
graves.

Most of the bodies which were
recovered indicated that the min-
ers had died from suffocation.

MACKENZIE KING MINISTRY IS SUSTAINED IN CANADA

Dominion House Gives It a Major-
ity of Three on Vote of
Confidence.

By the Associated Press.
OTTAWA, Jan. 15.—Victory
reached on the banner of the Mac-
kenzie King Government this morn-
ing when the House of Commons
by the narrow majority of three
votes gave it a vote of confidence.
On a conservative amendment of
nonconfidence the ballot showed
122 votes for the Liberal govern-
ment as against 120 for the Conser-
vatives.

There was great excitement in
the House when the result of the
ballot was made known, members
of both Liberal and Conservative
parties cheering loudly and tearing
up paper and throwing it into the
air.

In the October elections the Gov-
ernment returned 141 members in
a House of 245, and therefore has
not a working majority. Since Par-
liament opened, the Government
has been seeking the support of
the Farmer group, upon which it
leaned heavily during the previous
Parliament for four years.

COLLISION BRINGS TWO FINES

Automobile Drivers Assessed \$50
and \$75.
Rudolph Swislowitz, service car
driver of 5560 Enright avenue,
was fined \$50, and Joseph Declue,
of 1116A Perry street, was fined
\$75 for careless driving by Police
Judge Beck yesterday.

Automobiles driven by the men
collided at Vandeventer avenue
and Washington boulevard on
Dec. 24.

Wear Tons of Imitation Pearls.

CULVER CITY, Cal., Jan. 15.—
Two tons of imitation pearls were
used here to fashion costumes for
girls appearing before the moving
picture camera in a huge pearl bal-
let dance.

Famous-Barr Co's Annual February Furniture Sale

The Year's Foremost Furniture Event in St. Louis—Should Interest Saturday Shoppers

Wide Choice at the Extreme Savings of **10% to 50%** Suites, Odd Pieces and Occasional Furniture

During this Sale, home-makers are presented a most advantageous selection of Furniture of the most popular types and dependable character—and needs for immediate use and future requirements should be filled now. Only a few of the many remarkable groups are here mentioned. Deferred payments and future deliveries may be arranged.

Mohair Suites

\$390 Value

\$235

Two living-room pieces of a very
new style—Davenport and chair
with carved frames of decided
artistry, and mohair upholstery
in taupe shade. Splendidly built
throughout.

Bedroom Suites

\$300 Value

\$198

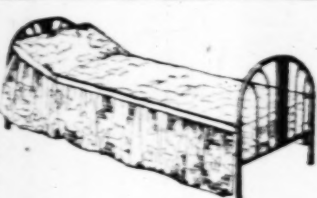
Four-piece Suites consisting of
bow-end bed, dresser, highboy
type chest of drawers and vanity
dresser. Handsome burl figured
walnut tops and fronts. Dust-
proof.

Mohair Chairs

At a Saving of

1/2

Many styles of overstuffed Mo-
hair Chairs, with high or low
backs, and reversible cushions.
All splendidly built, for comfort
and lasting service.



Day-Beds

\$32 Value

\$34.50

Automatic type Double Day-
Beds—a piece many are
wanting. Have cretonne pad,
ample space for bedding, and
are finished in the widely
favored walnut.

French Pieces

At a Saving of

1/2

A limited group of graceful,
beautifully finished French Fur-
niture—occasional types. Cab-
inets, tables and other pieces—
many with exquisite inlay work.

Coxwell Chairs

\$50 Value

\$37.50

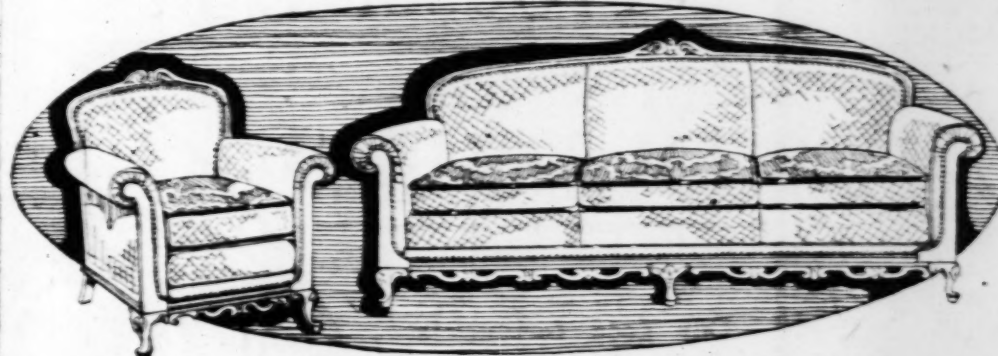
Mohair or wool tapestry uphois-
tered Coxwell Chairs with loose,
removable cushions. Very strong-
ly built, and comfortable.

Spinet Desks

\$50 Value

\$24.50

A highly favored type—with
ample writing and drawer space.
Finished in mahogany—built of
mahogany and hardwood—with
graceful turnings.

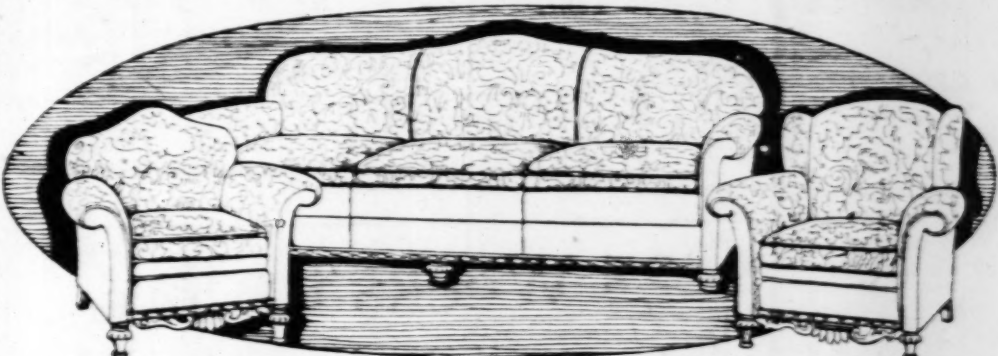


\$400 Mohair Suites

Offered in This Sale at

\$238

These Suites were built in the renowned Klyn studios—and
they conform to high standards of construction and artistic de-
sign. Two pieces—chair and roomy davenport, pictured above;
frames of hand-carved solid mahogany and upholstery of taupe
mohair, with reversible cushions. A limited group.

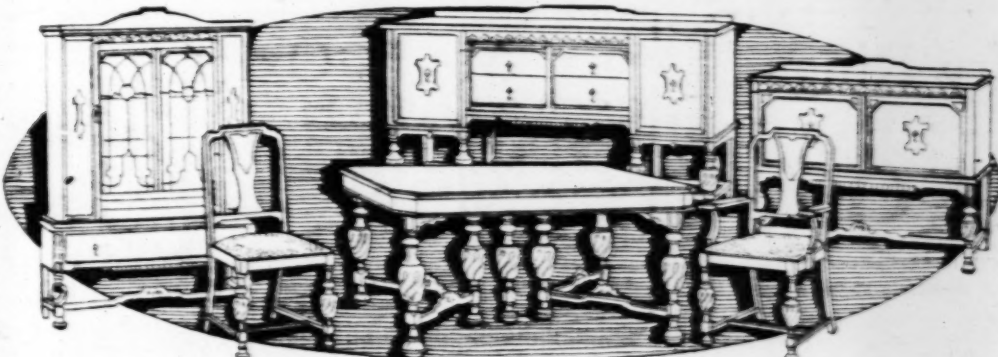


\$290 "Kroehler" Suites

Offered in This Sale at

\$198

Suites that many would be delighted to place in their living
rooms. Of celebrated "Kroehler" make—long davenport that
opens into a full-sized bed, chair and wing chair. Bases are
pleasingly carved and finished in a rich mahogany tone. Cush-
ions are reversible—all exposed parts are mohair upholstered.



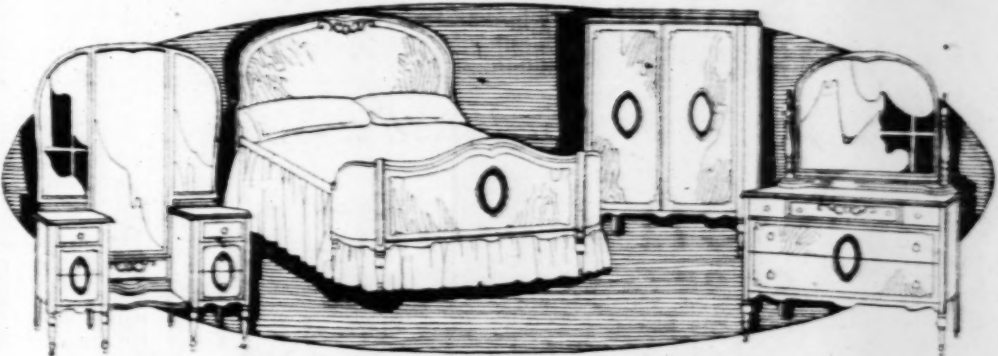
\$500 Walnut Suites

Offered in This Sale at

\$295

This group was obtained through a most fortunate purchase.
A factory "close-out" of a few of these solid walnut dining-
room Suites—Rockford make, 72-inch buffet, china cabinet,
oblong extension table, serving table, five chairs and an arm-
chair. Solid mahogany interiors.

Nine Pieces, without serving table, \$270



\$300 Bedroom Suites

Offered in This Sale at

\$198

If you seek Bedroom Furniture, you'll be highly gratified with
the worth and beauty of these Suites—finished in handsome
grain walnut. Bow-end bed, 48-inch dresser, wardrobe and
vanity dresser—each piece strongly constructed and dustproof
throughout. Pieces Obtainable Separately, if Desired

Bedroom Suites

\$300 Value

\$198

Four-piece Suites of a charming
design—with unusually con-
structed bow-end bed, dresser,
convenient wardrobe and vanity
dresser. Dust-proof throughout
and well built.

Dining Suites

\$325 Value

\$215

Nine pieces finished in walnut;
64-inch buffet, china cabinet, ob-
long extension table, five chairs
and an armchair. Built of wal-
nut and hardwood, with carving.

Dining Pieces

At a Saving of

1/2

A group of odd dining-room
tables, buffets, china cabinets,
serving tables and dining-room
chairs. Many desired styles,
woods and finishes.



Breakfast Sets

\$15 Value

\$9.75

Five-piece Breakfast Sets of
a most pleasing style—and
including drop-leaf table and
four chairs. Unfinished—
ready for painting.

Odd Chairs

\$20 Value

\$12.95

Wing Chairs or Wing Rockers that
are suitable for many rooms.
Finished in mahogany, with cane
seat and back. Durable con-
struction.

Cretonne Chairs

\$20 Value

\$12.95

Overstuffed bedroom or sun pa-
lor Chairs upholstered with good
quality cretonne, in attractive
patterns and colorings.

Metal Beds

\$15 Value

\$9.75

Beautifully finished Metal Beds
in the popular square post type,
with square fillers and metal
cane panels.

Seventh Floor

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps

Women's Kid

Special Values, at...

Fine quality imported Kid G
with fancy short cuffs in charm
variety of colors.

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Or

\$39

Now is the time to secure
nary worth; choice of model
koinski-dyed squirrel and
with contrasting pelts and

Fur Coats

Originally \$195 to

Special \$16

Coats of marmot, natural musk
capul paw, kid caracul and
cosey—with contrasting pelts

An Excellent

Junior



The Second D

"Music



Mail or Phone Order
subject to prior ad-
extra charge for in-
aerial kit and 30 days

Women's Kid Gloves

Special
Values, at... \$3.69Fine quality imported Kid Gloves in pique style—
with fancy short cuffs in charming new effects. Wide
variety of colors. **Main Floor**

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

Store Hours: 9 A. M. to 5:30 P. M. Daily. Saturday, 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in
Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles ExceptedLargest Distributors of Merchandise
at Retail in Missouri and the West

Further Extreme Reductions Are Offered Saturday—Making It Most Profitable to Choose While We Are

Clearing Misses' Winter Coats

Several Hundred Garments—Many in Very Late Styles
—Offered in Three Extraordinary Clearance Groups

Misses' Coats

Originally
\$69.75 to \$89.50
—Clearing at

\$50

Lustrous, Kashoretta,
Needlepoint and other fash-
ionable weaves are used in
these Coats—with wolf,
beaver, fox, fitch and squirrel
trimmings. Black and
plumage shades most prom-
inent. Sizes 14 to 20 only.

Misses' Coats

Originally
\$95 to \$125
—Clearing at

\$75

Coats of soft woolsens that
are unusually smart; squirrel,
fox, fitch, beaver and
civet cat are the furs used
on collars and cuffs and
sometimes on wide borders
as well. Light and dark
colors and sizes 14 to 20.

Misses' Coats

Originally
\$135 to \$225
—Clearing at

\$100

This group includes all of
our very best Coats—a lim-
ited number—mostly one of
a kind. All models are richly
fur-trimmed, the styling in
every instance being ultra-
correct for Winter. Sizes
14 to 20 only. **Fourth Floor**

\$2.25 and \$2.50 Silk Hose

Clearing,
at Pair... \$1.85Women's lisle and silk topped Hose of several
weights, including chiffon. In black and several colors;
sizes broken. **Main Floor**Diamond
Jewelry—In a Selected, Clearing
Group Offers Savings of

1/3

Our Diamond Jewelry Shop's
participation in the Clearance
brings you extraordinary choice of
exquisite pieces—the following
beautiful kinds making up this un-
usual offering:

Deduct 1/3 From These Prices

1 Diamond Bracelet.....	\$385.00
1 Flexible Diamond Bracelet.....	\$145.00
1 Diamond Bracelet.....	\$85.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$550.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$500.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$425.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$425.00
2 Diamond Solitaire Rings.....	\$350.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$300.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$295.00
1 Diamond Solitaire Ring.....	\$237.50
1 Fancy Diamond Ring.....	\$400.00
1 Fancy Diamond Ring.....	\$275.00
1 Diamond Dinner Ring.....	\$150.00
1 Diamond Dinner Ring.....	\$135.00
1 Diamond Dinner Ring.....	\$125.00
1 Diamond Dinner Ring.....	\$95.00
1 Diamond Dinner Ring.....	\$85.00
4 Platinum-Diamond Watches.....	\$125.00
3 Platinum-Diamond Watches.....	\$100.00
3 Diamond Scarf Pins.....	\$27.50
2 Diamond Scarf Pins.....	\$25.00
1 Diamond Bar Pin.....	\$165.00
1 Diamond Bar Pin.....	\$85.00
1 Diamond Bar Pin.....	\$57.50
1 Diamond Bar Pin.....	\$50.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$650.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$350.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$350.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$210.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$95.00
1 Oriental Pearl Necklace.....	\$57.50
1 Diamond-Set Knife.....	\$52.50
1 Diamond-Set Knife.....	\$46.50
1 Diamond-Set Knife.....	\$40.00
4 Diamond Ring Watches.....	\$300.00
1 32-Degree Diamond Masonic Ring.....	\$55
1 Diamond Ring Watch.....	\$95.00
2 Pair Diamond Earrings.....	\$57.50

Main Floor

Ultra Fur Coats

Originally \$365
\$395 to \$550.Now is the time to secure a really handsome Fur Coat at far less than its ordi-
nary worth; choice of models of leopard, platinum and coco caracul, Jap weasel,
koiniski-dyed squirrel and Hudson seal (dyed muskrat)—the majority enhanced
with contrasting pelts and all beautifully lined.

Fur Coats

Originally \$195 to \$250
Special \$165
at.....Coats of marmot, natural muskrat, platinum
casual paw, kid caracul and sealine (dyed
coyote)—with contrasting pelts profusely used.

Fur Coats

Originally \$150 to \$165
Special \$125
at.....Coats of natural muskrat or opossum, marmot,
coco caracul paw and sealine (dyed coyote)—
sports and dressy models included. **Fourth Floor**In Our Popularly Priced Section—
New MillinerySplendid
Values, at... \$5A new showing of Hats that will interest many; high-
crowned, medium and large brimmed models and irregular
brim effects are featured—fashioned of faille silk, crepes
and satin combined with straw.Lovebird, honeydew, gray, Copen, sand,
wood, rose, orchid and black Hats. **Fourth Floor**\$6 Surety-Six \$6
SHOES FOR YOUNG WOMEN

The Utmost in Value, at \$6 a Pair

Only two new styles of our popular Surety
footwear are shown here—embodying, as
always, a smartness of styling and quality of
fabrics seldom found in \$6 Shoes.Sports Oxfords in blucher style;
of two-toned calf with fancy tip
and saddle. Goodyear welt; crepe
soles.Southern Ties of tan Russia calf,
contrastingly trimmed and with
rubber-topped leather heels. **Second Floor**An Excellent Choice in Plain Tailored and Youthfully Fancy Models of
Junior Girls' Graduation Frocks

—White Models Equally Dainty for Spring—at

\$16.75 and \$19.75

These two groups are typical of the value-giving our Junior
Section offers to mothers. The Frocks at \$16.75 are in tailored
effect—of white silk broadcloth, in one or two-piece style, having
long sleeves and convertible collar. The \$19.75 Frocks are of
crepe de chine and charmingly hand-smocked. Sizes 12 to 16
in both groups.

White 2-Pc. Suits

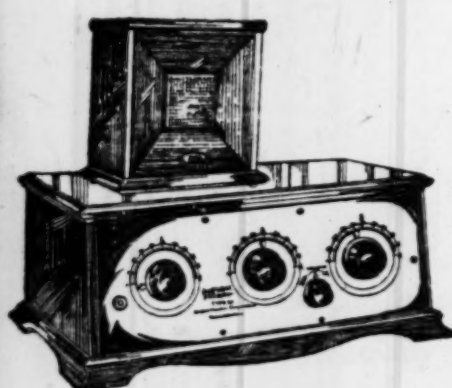
Priced
at..... \$10An overblouse and skirt of white
radium—ideal for graduation wear;
sizes 12 to 16. A group mothers
should see.

Dressy Frocks

Priced
at..... \$15 to \$24.75Ruffled, tucked and lace-trimmed
models of Georgette, net, taffeta and
combinations of fabrics. Sizes 12
to 17.White Middies and Overblouses; sizes 10 to 20; priced \$1.95 and \$3.50
White Pleated Middy Skirts; sizes 10 to 16; priced \$1.95 and \$2.95 **Fourth Floor**The Second Day to Share This Sale of the Latest
"Music Master" Radios

\$120.50 Value, for

\$69.75

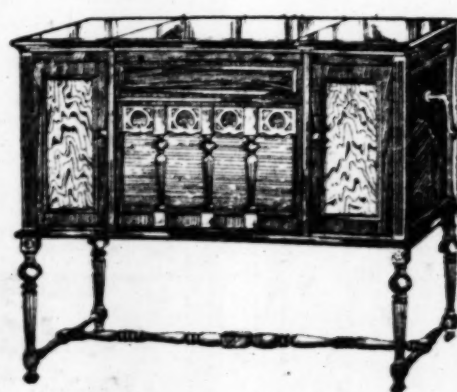
Only 250 of these Sets were involved when
this sale began this morning—so to obtain
one on Saturday it will be advisable to be
here early. The very latest models of the
nationally renowned Music Master Sets.Complete with genuine Music Master
Cabinet Speaker, 6 Music Master or Cum-
mington Tubes, "B" Batteries and Stor-
age Battery—all high-grade equipment. **Sixth Floor**Mail or Phone Orders filled
subject to prior sale—\$5
extra charge for installation,
aerial kit and 30 days' service.

Extraordinary Savings Warrant Your Prompt Choice of These

"Raleigh" Brunswicks

Heretofore \$180—Now

\$99

The "Raleigh" will become a treasured pos-
session in the homes of music lovers, bringing
the world's best music and pleasing also, with
the beauty of its distinctive cabinet.Terms of \$10 Cash and
\$5 Monthly, if desired.**Music Salon—Sixth Floor**Saturday's Candy "Specials" Include
Combination Package

Special, Lb.

49c

2-Lb. Box, 95c

Assorted milk and
dark chocolates,
maple croquettes,
caramel cherry,
Melba whipped
cream, pecan coconut, chocolate newtons
and many other sweets.

Buttercups

Special, Lb.

39c

Buttercups are appetiz-
ing morsels of crisp
hard candy, with a de-
licious flavor.

Caramels

Special, Lb.

39c

A Saturday special that
many will enjoy—as-
sorted Caramels of the
popular kinds we make. **Main Floor**

Girls' Shoes

\$5.50 Value, Pair

\$3.65

practical—girls' Winter Ties—of tan Russia
calf or patent leather with low rubber heels.
Sizes 2 1/2 to 7.Children's \$2.25 "Billiken" Oxfords of smoked elk,
with tan trimmings; sizes 5 to 8; Saturday, pair \$1.99. **Second Floor**

CO.

Man Asks Police to Find His Wife.
Henry Hocker, of 1808 Morgan street has appealed to policewomen to try and find his wife, Agnes M. Hocker, 25 years old, who disappeared from home Dec. 14. He said that prior to her departure she had appeared despondent.

Negro Holds Up Saloon for \$50.
A Negro, with a revolver, held up Joseph Hasso in his saloon, 2100 Clark avenue, at 5:30 p. m. yesterday, taking \$50 from the register.

ADVERTISEMENT

ST. LOUIS IS A THEATER CITY

St. Louis now has 111 theaters showing motion pictures, legitimate drama and vaudeville. Of this number 102 are motion picture houses.

Of the many retail furniture stores in St. Louis, the Pruffrock-Litton Furniture Co., Fourth and St. Charles Sts., is one of the few who handles furniture exclusively. Specializing on one single line for the past nineteen years enables them to offer the best values at the lowest possible prices.

Today and tomorrow are Inspection Days at their store preceding their Semi-Annual Furniture Sale which starts Monday—visit their store Saturday—reductions 10% to 50%.

Can You \$1.00 PAY?

C-Melody Saxophone with Free Lessons
Brand-New Artists' Special C-Melody Sax
PRICE \$95



Take a Saxophone home! A small down payment will start you off! OTHER MUSICAL VALUES:
TENOR SAXOPHONES \$18.00
TRUMPETS \$12.50
VIOLIN OUTFITS \$22.50
TRUMPET \$12.50
DRUM OUTFITS \$35.00
CLARINETS \$12.50
MANDOLINS \$12.50
RANJO OUTFIT \$25.00

Terms as low \$1.00 per week.
FREE PRIVATE LESSONS
With each instrument purchased at this sale.

Here the new ORTHOPHONIC Victrola at Wurlitzer's.

WURLITZER
1006 OLIVE ST.
East St. Louis Store
200 Collinsville Av.

C.E. Williams
SIXTH and FRANKLIN
All-Leather Shoes for All the Family

BUSTER BROWN SHOES
Little Tot's Shoes
Nature-Form Lasts
Sizes 2 to 5
\$1.75
\$2.00
\$2.25

Girls' Brogue Oxfords
Smart Brownbilt Oxfords of light Tan calf broad toe blucher model, welt soles; low rubber heels; for girls and women.
\$4.00

Boys' Dress Shoes
Sizes 7 1/2 to 12
\$3.50
\$4.00

Boys' School Shoes
Sizes 10 to 13 1/2
\$2.00
\$3.00

Men's Dress Shoes and Oxfords
Choice of Many Styles
Unusual Values at \$5

This low price buys all-leather Shoes of high quality, good style and splendid workmanship. Square, round or balloon toe models. High Shoes and Oxfords in light Tan, Nat Brown or Black Calf and in Hazel Brown kid. Also Oxfords in Patent leather.

County Prosecuting Attorney Will Dismiss Murder Charge Against John Vollman.

GANGSTER TRIED FOR POLICEMAN'S DEATH TO GO FREE

ONE MAN ON JURY FOR CONVICTION

Testimony Three Others Fired on Rudolph Hartung After Bartender Had Been Wounded.

The failure of a jury to agree on the guilt or innocence of John Vollman, Egan gangster, charged with the killing of Probationary Patrolman Rudolph Hartung, who was shot in front of a roadhouse at 2501 South Broadway, Feb. 21, last, prompted Prosecuting Attorney Mueller of St. Louis County to announce today that the charge against Vollman would be dismissed.

The trial jury was discharged late yesterday, standing 11 for acquittal and one for conviction, after four hours deliberation. Vollman had been indicted for first-degree murder, but during the trial before Judge Wurdeman at Clayton, the charge was reduced to manslaughter because of the nature of evidence. On the first ballot, the jury stood six for acquittal and six for conviction.

The only evidence against Vollman was that of three police officers, who declared he admitted while at City Hospital seriously wounded that he fired at Hartung in self-defense after Hartung had shot him. Defense witnesses declared Hartung was intoxicated and had deliberately assaulted Vollman, a bartender at the roadhouse. One man asserted the policeman was killed by three men who appeared while Vollman was crawling back to the roadhouse, seriously wounded.

Italy Reports Quiet in Somaliland.
By the Associated Press.
ROME, Jan. 15.—The Government announces that the residence of the natives in Northern Italian Somaliland, where operations have been conducted since October with a view to the firm establishment of the Italian protectorate, has been crushed completely. The announcement says that Italian political and military control of the region will be speedily realized. The announcement says many rebel chieftains have asked commanders of the Italian warships to take them to Bandar Abia so they might join the Italian side.

FINE FOR FAILURE TO HEAT APARTMENT UPHOLD ON APPEAL

House Owner Finally Permitted to Pay Costs of \$9.10 by Judge Gayer.

A fine of \$50 for failure to provide sufficient heat in the apartment of W. H. Hipolite at 2503 Palm street, assessed in Police Court Dec. 22 against Mr. and Mrs. James Cluskey, manager and owner, respectively, of the building, was upheld by Judge Gayer of the Court of Criminal Correction on appeal yesterday. Then it was stayed on payment of \$9.10 costs.

There was testimony by a city sanitary officer that the temperature in Hipolite's apartment on the morning of Nov. 28 was below the minimum required by ordinance. Cluskey told Judge Gayer he had witnesses from other apartments in the building who would testify they were "burning up" there, but the Court held their testimony would have nothing to do with the temperature in Hipolite's apartment.

Mount Vesuvius Normal Again.
NAPLES, Jan. 15.—Mount Vesuvius has returned to normal after a communique issued by the Observatory. On Jan. 4 the volcano began to rumble and erupt lava and smoke from a new crater. This flow has ceased.

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We are open for high-grade line with exclusive sale in Kansas City territory. Will handle on commission or brokerage basis. Address Box No. H-35 Post-Dispatch.

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75c, \$1.00 and \$1.25

Hosiery

Reduced to

65c

Wools, Silks, Lisles, Wool Mixtures

A wide selection in plain and fancy wools—fancy lisles—plain silks in blacks and colors—and wool and rayon mixtures.

All 35c Lisles Now 25c

75c Pure Silks 55c

\$2.50 and \$3.00

Hosiery

\$1.95

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Hosiery

\$1.20

Included are fine heavy silks—imported wools—silk-mixed wools and imported lisles. Plain colors and fancy patterns are represented.

In this group are plain and fancy wools—plain silks in black and colors—imported lisles in plain and fancy colors, all from our regular stock.

\$3.50 and \$4.00

Imported English and Scotch

Wool Hosiery

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\$4.50 and \$5.00

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Our Entire Stock of Pajamas Reduced

All \$2.00 Pajamas **\$1.70**

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All Others Reduced 20%

Suits, Overcoats and Topcoats Reduced!

\$35.00 Clothes Reduced to **\$29**

\$40.00 Clothes Reduced to **\$33**

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\$50.00 Clothes Reduced to **\$41**

\$60.00 Clothes Reduced to **\$49**

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Three for \$5

White Shirts—Colored Shirts—neckband and collar-attached styles—all are Boyd's regular stock of full cut well-tailored Shirts in English broadcloth, madras, fine percales, rayon striped fabrics and other desirable shirtings. Sizes 13 1/2 to 18.

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Negro Killed Trying to Board Train.
LEBANON, Mo., Jan. 15.—Robert Harmon, Negro, lost both legs yesterday when he attempted to board a Trisco freight train. He died a few hours later. He stated he had no home.



Make your treatment continuous

An infected throat

may lead to much more serious troubles. Germs are at work sending their poisons throughout your system. The only way to clear them out is by antiseptic treatment that is kept up continuously as long as the condition lasts.

Sprays and gargles fail because their effect is only momentary, and they can ordinarily be used only night and morning.

Carry a bottle of Formamint with you, and at intervals during the day, slip one of these convenient, pleasant-tasting, antiseptic tablets into your mouth.

To treat sore throat take a tablet every hour or so. To prevent infection, take one about every two hours when exposed to disease, dust or cold. All druggists.



Formamint
GERM-KILLING THROAT TABLETS

Face covered with ugly red pimples

Resinoid healed the trouble

Valley Centre, Va., Feb. 14.—"Some time ago my face became covered with little pimples which were red and ugly looking. I tried various remedies, but nothing did me any good until I used Resinoid Soap and Resinoid Ointment. I applied this treatment about five times every day and in a remarkably short time I was rid of the trouble. There is nothing like the Resinoid treatment!" (Signed) Mrs. M. L. Crickmberger.

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Why A Woman's Age Shows In Her Hands

A noted beauty specialist recently said that she could invariably judge a woman's age by her hands. "Rough and hard" were shown in the hands when it does not show in the face, and as a rule women give more attention to their face than their hands. The hands, however, show age, be they young, because pretty and white hands are really the true mark of refinement, and they should be cared for. Any woman can have beautiful, white, soft, pretty hands, regardless of the way she has to do. If she will simply spend a few minutes of her time before retiring, rubbing a little bottle of Resinoid on them, the morning she will be greatly surprised at the beautiful transformation that Resinoid makes of what kind of hands she has. Resinoid is made from a Japanese product that is simply the most beautiful of all the properties of the world. It is the only product that should be used on the hands, as the hands, if neglected, are the first to show the signs of age. A few applications of Resinoid will show the true beauty of her hands and skin. It is gentle and is well and recommended by all beauty specialists.

Says Greatest Medicine in

Hundreds of Bottles of Benson Drug Stores, Who are dispensing it to Many S

"It does not matter to me whether I am disabled with curved shoulders or have only occasional twinges," says James H. Allen, of Forbes St., Rochester, N. Y. "I know that Allen's, my own doctor, will stop the agony, do away with the gnawing pains and relax the swollen joints."

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"I know because since I cured myself, hundreds have taken Allen's and speedily rid themselves of agonizing disease."

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BELLEVILLE CAFE PROPRIETOR FINED \$175 FOR SELLING QUAIL

John Schlosser to Appeal From Penalties Assessed Under New Illinois Law.

John Schlosser, proprietor of the Belleville House Cafe, Belleville, was fined \$175 today in East St. Louis Justice of the Peace courts on four out of eight charges resulting from the sale of four quail at the cafe on Dec. 12. A new Illinois law prohibits restaurants from keeping or selling any game.

These quails were served to William Brockman Jr. of East St. Louis, a member of the Southern Illinois Sportsmen's League, which is co-operating in game law enforcement. A charge of sale and one of possession was made in the case of each quail. Justice of the Peace Lauman fined Schlosser \$75 on one possession charge and \$25 on another, while Justice of the Peace Stocker fined him \$80 on one sale charge and \$25 on another. The remaining charges were continued by agreement, pending Schlosser's appeal of the convictions.

OKARK SHIPMENTS IN 1925

AMOUNTED TO \$35,728,050

Total of 16,736 Cars of Fruit and Agricultural Products Forwarded By Frisco.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., Jan. 15.—That region of the Middle West known as the "Ozarks," and comprising approximately 60,000 square miles in Missouri and Arkansas, enjoyed an unprecedented year of agricultural prosperity during 1925, according to statistics made public today by W. L. English, supervisor of agriculture and refrigeration for the St. Louis-San Francisco Railway Co. The Frisco operates approximately 2,000 miles of its 5,400 miles of line in the Ozark territory and its rails serve almost all of the shipping points.

A grand total of 16,736 cars of agricultural products traveled from the Ozark territory via Frisco rails to the markets of the world during 1925, representing a market value of \$35,728,050.

WROTE CHECKS FOR BANK BALANCE, ENDED HIS LIFE

Colorado Man Who Killed Self at Cairo, Ill., Was Member of Missouri Lodge.

CAIRO, Ill., Jan. 15.—Charles Taylor Cate, 43 years old, who committed suicide in the bathroom of his stepmother's home here, had written and signed two checks, each for \$2407.64, in favor of his half-sister, Jennie, who lives with the mother. Both checks bore the same date. They were found in Cate's traveling bag. There was also a deposit book of the City National Bank of Colorado Springs, showing Cate had a balance there that corresponded with the amount named in the checks. Cate disappeared here Monday, after having been gone 17 years. A card was found showing he was a member of the Masonic lodge at Doniphan, Mo., and in good standing. No motive for the suicide is known except that Cate complained of feeling unwell shortly before he shot himself three times.

SCHOOLS TO AID POLAR PARTY

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Jan. 15.—The projected Arctic airplane expedition, headed by Captain George H. Wilkins, will be financed in part by Detroit school children. The Board of Education announced approval today of a plan to permit pupils to contribute not more than 50 cents to the fund. There are approximately 156,000 pupils in the local public schools.

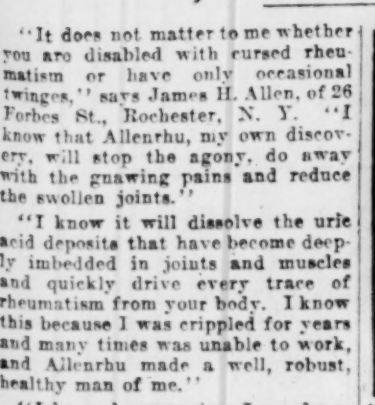
Although the projected expedition has been underwritten by the Detroit Aviation Society, invitations to the public to participate in its financing have resulted thus far in contributions totalling more than \$56,000. The estimated budget for the expedition, reckoned on a four months' basis, totals \$103,754.

Lone Bank Robber Gets \$6000.

By the Associated Press.

DETROIT, Mich., Jan. 15.—A masked man held up the Detroit Savings Bank branch here today and walked out with \$6000 in currency. Employees of the bank are positive the same man robbed the bank of \$5000 about six weeks ago.

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- 50c Amelita 42c
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- \$1.00 Ingram's Milk-cream and Cream 79c
- \$2.00 Dier-Kiss Toilet Water \$1.63
- \$1.00 Golden Peacock Bleach Creme 63c
- 35c Perfection Nail Polish 23c
- 50c Dier-Kiss Lip-stick 39c
- 25c Resinol 21c
- 85c D. & R. Cold Cream 69c

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A compact, little heater that gives comfortable, reliable heat. Flow of heat is controlled by a simple dial.

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Your dog appreciates fresh meat and good flavor in his food as much as you do. And wholesomeness is just as important in dog food as in human food.

Milk-Bone Dog and Puppy foods are made as clean, wholesome and appetizing as food for humans.

Small Size 20c

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50c Double-Size Tube 39c

Amelita Narcis' Linnerie Perfume \$4.85

Armand's Cold Cream Face Powder \$1.00

75c Maybelline Beautician Eye Liner 59c

Kleenex Cold Cream Remover 29c

\$1.00 REM COUGH REMEDY 79c

35c FROSTILLA HAND LOTION 27c

35c PALMOLIVE SHAVING CREAM 24c

35c VICK'S VAPOR RUB 23c

(Above Items Limit 2 to a Customer)

Toilet Articles

25c Dier-Kiss Talcum Powder 19c

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\$1.25 Ed Pinaud's Lilac Vegetal 98c

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50c Pompeian Rouge 42c
- 50c Hind's Honey and Almond Cream 39c
- 50c Zinc Stearate 17c

60c Kotex Sanitary Napkins 39c

50c Glycerine and Rose Water 37c

60c Forhan's Tooth Paste 36c

75c Menthos 59c

\$1.00 Rem 79c

30c Bell's Pine Tar 24c

30c Pizo's Remedy 27c

30c White Pine and Tar Cough Syrup 23c

\$1.25 Gude's Pepto-Man 98c

50c Sodium Phosphate Effervescent 42c

50c Woodbury's Soap 21c

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Man Robbed of \$63 at Home.
John Jacob, 47 years old, was unhooking the door of his home, 2810 Morgan street, at 1 a. m. today, when he was assaulted by two Negroes, one of whom took \$63 from his pockets after hitting him with a club, he reported.



Strenuous Work for Piles!

Watch the man with a sledge doesn't let every motion make a man who has piles fairly wince. Yet laborers often get piles. They get relief just as quick—through Pyramid!

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H. S. PRIEST MAY SEEK SENATORSHIP

Former Judge Renews Suggestion of Democratic Convention to Circumvent Primary

Former Judge Henry S. Priest, whose plan to circumvent the State primary law by a Democratic convention on the senatorial and other nominations was rejected by the Democratic State Committee, has renewed the suggestion of a convention. Unless his plan is adopted, he declares in a statement just issued, he will himself enter this year's senatorial primary contest. Judge Priest, running on a wet platform, was a candidate for the Democratic nomination for the governorship in 1924. In the St. Louis primary vote he was greatly in the lead, getting 21,147 votes to 12,101 for all his four opponents. In the total State vote he was far behind Arthur Nelson and Floyd Jacobs, and slightly ahead of George H. Moore.

Arguments for Convention. His suggestion for a convention was made July 1st last. He pointed out the recognized weaknesses of the primary system, and the expense entailed in a primary contest, with the danger of resulting factional dissensions. These might be avoided, he said, by holding a delegate convention. To "recommend" candidates for the nomination for Senator, member of the State Supreme Court, and State Superintendent of Schools, the of the State Democratic Committee, meeting Sept. 15, refused to recommend a convention. Judge Priest renewed his suggestion in a letter written to the State chairman a few days later, and the St. Louis Democratic State Committee, including Judge Ewing Cockrell of Warrensburg, and Willis H. Meredith of Poplar Bluff.

Statement by Priest. In announcing that he may add himself to the list, Judge Priest said yesterday: "I had hoped (and still hope) my party would meet in convention and discuss and pronounce upon these great issues. If this is not done, my sense of duty to the people of my native State will compel my offer of services to them. I have no craving for office, but somebody must render a public service or Mr. Vanderbilt's anathema will prevail. I can briefly state what I propose and oppose. At times they are synonymous words. We often progress by opposing."

"Mr. Vanderbilt's anathema" is presumably the saying credited to William H. Vanderbilt, "the public be damned," a saying which has gone into history with Judge Priest's own remark that "bribery is a conventional offense."

Against the World Court. The things to which Judge Priest announces himself as opposed are: The World Court, large railroad consolidations, seizure of State powers by Federal Government, government by bureaus; Federal aid to roads, prohibition, inheritance taxes, Federal and State, hell-fire preaching by ministers of the gospel, and legislation favoring corporations.

He favors "repealing 90 per cent of our laws," stripping Federal Government of usurped power, and re-establishing State sovereignty and local self-government.

FAMOUS CANADIAN HOTEL PARTLY DESTROYED BY FIRE

Railroad Rushes Sleeping Cars to Quebec to Care for Guests at Chateau Frontenac.

By the Associated Press. QUEBEC, Jan. 15.—The old eastern wing of the Hotel Chateau Frontenac, overlooking the St. Lawrence River, is in ruins today, destroyed by fire. Smoke and water did considerable damage to other parts of the building.

Five firemen were injured by falling walls, and one guest, a traveling man named Boyd, suffered partial asphyxiation. The fire started last evening, and none of the other 300 guests of the hotel was injured, having been warned in time. The Canadian Pacific Railway, which owns the hotel, rushed 25 sleeping cars to Quebec to accommodate the guests last night. The loss to the building is estimated at \$2,000,000.

The blaze started in one of the towers of the eastern wing of the chateau, which, although more than 30 years old, has the reputation of being one of the most luxurious hostels in the world.

MINERS FAVOR PINCHOT BILL

Approve Proposal That Mines Be Declared Public Utility.

By the Associated Press. HAZLETON, Pa., Jan. 15.—Having given an accounting of their stewardship to the State Committee, and through it to the full membership, the officers of the United Mine Workers are now tightening their lines in the anthracite struggle. President John L. Lewis, on Sunday, will speak at Wilkes-Barre, and on Monday at Scranton.

The State Committee yesterday voted full confidence in Lewis, and other officers conducting the

strikes, and approved of all their acts. The committee also approved the recommendations of Gov. Pinchot to the Pennsylvania Legislature, that the anthracite industry be declared a public utility, so that it can be regulated by the State. It is expected that the mine workers will resist the passage through the Legislature of a proposal to amend the law which provides that a man must pass an examination before he can be an anthracite miner. Lewis told the State Committee that all of the resources of the United Mine Workers would be at the disposal of the anthracite men in their struggle, and that there need be no fear that anyone would starve.



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Including Every Single Garment regardless of their former selling price. **Your Choice of the House.**

Never before has such a radical remedy been used to dispose of a heavy stock. We are taking this loss of tens of thousands of dollars feeling confident that the future patronage by the hordes of new friends this sale is creating will more than counter-balance our present loss. Many men who have in the past been paying \$45.00 to \$50.00 for Golde clothes are taking advantage of this "once in a lifetime" opportunity by purchasing two garments for less than the former price of one.

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GERMANY DISAPPOINTED OVER RHINELAND TROOP STRENGTH

Foreign Relations Committee Says Retention of 75,000 Men Hinder Counter to Political Situation.

By the Associated Press. BERLIN, Jan. 15.—The Reichstag's Foreign Relations Committee today adopted a resolution declaring the reported doing of the armed Rhineland army of occupation at 75,000 men gravely disappoints Germany's just expectations and runs counter to the political situation obtaining since the signing of the Locarno treaties.

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At the time of the termination of the Ruhr conflict," it added, "namely, at the time when the largest number of troops was in the Rhineland, the garrison amounted to about 165,000, of which 25,000 were in the second and third zones. The 75,000 now suggested would therefore involve a considerable increase for the second and third zones."

NEW FIRM TO CONTROL PIGGLY-WIGGLY STORES

St. Louisans Interested in Company Return From Conference at New Orleans.

A new company, to take over the Piggly-Wiggly Stores Co., in which St. Louisans have about \$1,200,000 invested, and the Piggly-Wiggly Corporation, which owns the patents under which the stores operate, will be organized soon as a result of the meeting of heads of both companies at New Orleans yesterday.

W. C. Connett, vice president of the Liberty Central Trust Co., and vice president of the Piggly-Wiggly Stores Co., returned from New Orleans today.

The reorganization finds Clarence Saunders, former president and founder, whose sensational "refugee" to "corner" Piggly-Wiggly shares several years ago led to its expulsion from the exchange and an enforced liquidation by himself, has no connection with the corporation. He recently agreed to pay it \$150,000 in two years, in settlement of all litigation against the company and himself.

The Stores Co. now operates 500 stores in 31 cities. The Piggly-Wiggly stores in St. Louis, operated by the Missouri-Illinois Stores Co., are not involved in the merger except to the very limited extent of a contractual relation with the corporation for the use of the name "Piggly-Wiggly."

There is no indication as to where the control of the new corporation will center, but St. Louis, Memphis, Nashville and New Orleans interests are contending for it. Newman, Saunders & Co., investment bankers, of New Orleans, who are assisting in the United States reorganization, and Rogers Caldwell, a Nashville (Tenn.) investment banker, purchaser of control of the Missouri State Life Insurance Co., have handled the transaction.

MYSTIC FRAUD IN RUSSIA

By the Associated Press. KIEV, Jan. 15.—Several priests and shepherds in the Demidovka district were arrested today, charged with exploiting the superstitions of the peasantry.

Two of their number announced to the local population that they had perceived in the heavens the figure of Christ with the face surrounded by an aureole. The untutored villagers gathered to view the supposed apparitions and the clergy held open-air services to celebrate "the Savior's reappearance," not forgetting to collect offerings. The appearance of the police and the subsequent arrests brought the services to a sudden close.

Smallpox Spreading in Russia.

By the Associated Press. VLADIVOSTOK, Russia, Jan. 15.—Smallpox is spreading alarmingly throughout the Primora and Spassky districts. Thus far 216 deaths have been reported, and 511 persons are seriously ill. There are only four hospitals with 75 beds at the disposition of the authorities in the two districts.

When Croup Comes at Night

The sudden hoarse bark of your child in the middle of the night may be the first warning of croup. It comes with startling suddenness and means instant action—croup is dangerous. One small dose of Dr. Frank's Croup Remedy relieves croup within 15 minutes—without vomiting. Endorsed by doctors and druggists; 50c a bottle—worth \$50.00 in 2 or 3 m.

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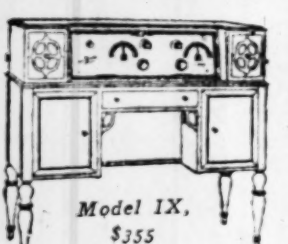
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"Now that my stomach trouble has all disappeared since taking a course of May's Wonderful Remedy I would even consider getting married again. I cannot tell you how terribly I suffered before taking this great remedy." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded. Wolff-Wilson Drug Stores, Walgreen Drug Co. and druggists everywhere.

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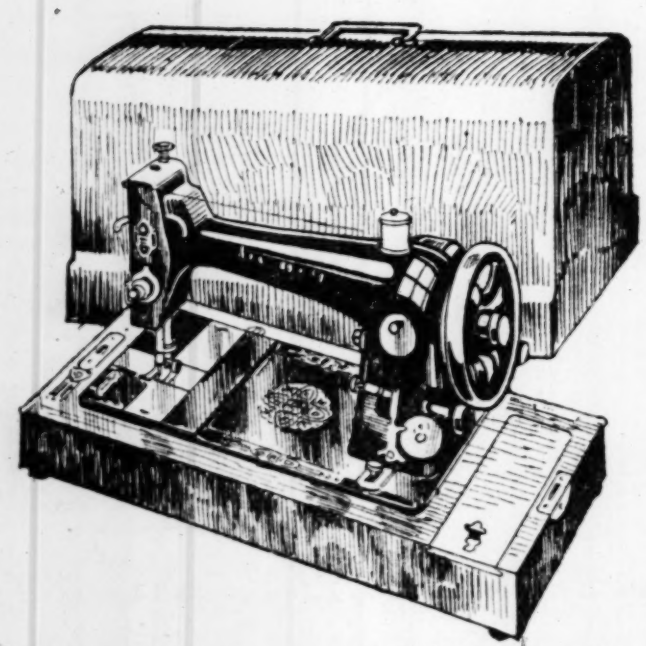
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\$16.75
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Girls' Dress Special \$7.95
Choice of Finest Junior Coats \$38.85
Superb models finely designed and made. Formerly marked to double and more. Sizes 13 to 17 years.

BROADCLOTH MIDDY BLOUSE AND SKIRT SUITS FOR CLASS DAY \$5.00
KLINE'S—Balcony.

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Winter Coats Reduced!
A rack full! Broken lines! Misses' and women's sizes. Fur trimmed. Regardless of cost or former prices. **\$33**
KLINE'S—Third Floor.

Large-Size Coats Reduced!
A Coat clean-up...a limited number of smart models in sizes 40 to 46. Choice furs. **\$49.50**
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Choice of the Finest Coats
High-type Coats. Flaring and wrap-around models in exquisite fabrics, trimmed with selected furs. **\$98**
KLINE'S—Third Floor.

88 Dresses Reduced!
A rack full of "broken lines," "odds and ends." Silk crepes, satins, Black, colors. Misses' and women's sizes. **\$10**
KLINE'S—Fourth Floor.

Choice All-Leather Jackets
Windbreakers in many different styles. Ideal for skating and winter sports. Marvellous values at this price. **\$7.95**
KLINE'S—Main Floor.

Rayon Bloomers Reduced!
In light or dark colors. good quality rayon. Shirred garter cuffs. Well reinforced. A special clearance price. **\$1.45**
KLINE'S—Main Floor.

Silk Hose Reduced!
Full-fashioned and semi-fashioned Silk Hosiery of splendid quality. Split sizes and colors. Perfect quality. **\$1.00**
KLINE'S—Main Floor.

French Dolls Reduced!
Piquant little beauties in colored felt. Over a dozen different styles. Exceptional values at this low price. **\$2.95**
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HAVE YOU A CHARGE ACCOUNT WITH US?

Old Furs Remade Into Chokers \$7.50
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606-68 Washington Ave.—From Sixth St.
Old Furs Remade Into Chokers \$7.50
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SEMI-ANNUAL SAMPLE SALE
SILK UNDERWEAR

GOWNS, PAJAMAS, TEDDIES, STEP-INS, OTHERS

\$1.49 \$2.49
Upward to \$15
Low price is not the only alluring thing about these groups of lingerie. Value and variety...lovely silks...piquant styles! Many adorned with lace...others smartly tailored. Marked in our Semi-Annual Sample Sale one-fourth, one-third and one-half off!

Lovebird, Maize, Orchid, Peach, Blush, White, Blue, Yellow
Materials: Crepe de Chine...Crepe-Back Satin
Radium...and...Georgette
KLINE'S—Main Floor.

SALE OF 1000 NEW SPRING DRESSES

The Spring Song of the Hour....
Marvelous Kline Values

\$18.75

The hard-to-please person who has made up her mind as to just the kind of a Frock she wants...as well as the open-minded shopper in search of something different...will be delighted with these new Dresses. The low price of \$18.75 is an added incentive to purchasing in advance for Spring needs. Sizes for misses and women to 48.

New Colors...New Materials...Two-Piece and Straightline Modes...Knife Pleats...Dozens of Novel Neck Lines. Colors of the Spring Spectrum.
KLINE'S—Fourth Floor.

FURS! Reduced!

A Few of the Many Wonderful Fur Coat Values Are Listed Below

French Seal (dyed coney) \$98
Sand Weasel, fox trimmed \$139
Natural Muskrat \$139
Platinum or Cocoa Caracul, fox trimmed \$139
Cocoa Caracul, fox collar and border \$139
French Seal (dyed coney), fancy collar and sleeve \$139
Silver Muskrat, collar, cuff and border \$149
Golden Muskrat, collar and border \$149
Natural Muskrat, skunk collar and border \$149
Susliki, fox collar and border \$149
Weasel Coat, fox collar and border \$365
Jap Mink, fox collar and border \$365
Siberian Squirrel, fox collar \$365
Jap Ermine \$495
Genuine Alaskan Seal \$495
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It's Good for Them, Too.
Candy is the necessary sweet that growing
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SATURDAY SPECIALS
Old-Time Candies
"Good Old-Fashioned Kind"

An assortment of delicious chocolates, Fudge,
Fruit Bon Bons and Coconut pieces
packed in one and two pound boxes. **50c**
Special Pound

Herz Molasses Taffy, pound box **35c**

Orange
Sunshine
Cake
Light and fluffy, topped
with orange icing **47c**

Fruit
Stollen
A well-baked stollen,
centered with fruits and
nuts, iced with
cream fondant **42c**

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**BOND COMMITTEE WANTS NEW
LOCATION FOR CITY MORGUE**
Objects to Proposed Site on Clark
Avenue Close to Projected
Memorial Plaza Structures.
A resolution adopted by the
Citizens' Supervisory Bond Issue
Committee yesterday recommends
that the projected new city morgue
be erected in some other central
location, rather than on the Clark
avenue side of City Hall Park,
where the city proposes to build it.
The committee objects to the park
location, close to the present group
of city buildings and projected Mem-
orial Plaza structures, on esthetic
grounds.
A site purchased directly across
Clark avenue from the park might
be acceptable, the resolution said.
Following a legal ruling prevent-
ing use of 1923 bond issue funds
for the morgue, the city decided to
use \$65,000 provided by the 1920
bond issue and \$122,600 from gen-
eral revenue, and it is planned to
erect a morgue resembling in ap-
pearance a chapel.
The committee approved a bill
to buy a lot on the south side of
Olive street, west of Thirteenth
street, owned by Alice Gennett, for
\$30,000, as part of the Memorial
Plaza site.
WOULD JOIN FIGHT ON WABASH
The West End Business Men's
Association has been requested by
its new president, Thomas D. Can-
non, an attorney, to go on record
as supporting Mayor Miller in his
demand that the Wabash Railroad
accede to the city's plans for con-
struction of the Delmar crossing
viaduct.
"The crossing is a dangerous
one, and mars the appearance of
one of our greatest thoroughfares,"
Cannon said in his talk at the as-
sociation's annual dinner, held at
the Melbourne Hotel, Wednesday
night.

**Saturday
Last Day
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**MEN'S
2-PANT
SUITS**
Saturday—Posi-
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Sale Reg. \$25.00
Men's Suits—
Serges, Cassi-
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Only
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OF THE **SCHMITZ & SHRODER CO.** **\$10**
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COME EARLY!

Located on the Southeast Corner of Washington and Eighth Streets

GREAT \$300,000

TRADE EXPANSION SALE

The End of This Great Event Draws Near --- Tomorrow---
Saturday, January 16, Positively the Last Day

Set your alarm clock and be here early waiting with the crowds when the doors
open Saturday morning promptly at 8:30 o'clock. Every nook and corner in this
store will offer money-saving opportunities that will pay you well to come many
miles for. Every department in this great store joins hands and combines their
stocks into a mighty steam roller of bargains that will sweep everything before it.
Prices and reductions that will open your eyes with amazement. Perhaps never be-
fore in the history of St. Louis has anything like this happened before—perhaps
it will never happen again. Buy now at these big savings. Remember we welcome
new charge accounts. Don't wish you HAD come, but plan now and be here.

SATURDAY POSITIVELY THE LAST DAY
MEN'S SUITS
Wardrobe, Casimere, Single Breasted, Double Breasted, In-
cluding 2-Pant Suits, Adler Collection, Leopold Morse and Others.
Regular \$25 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$10.00**
Regular \$30 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$18.90**
Regular \$40 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$28.85**
Regular \$50 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$38.85**
Regular \$60 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$43.85**
Regular \$65 Men's High-Grade Suits, Saturday **\$43.85**

MEN'S OVERCOATS
Stock embraces all the Wanted Styles and Fabrics of the Sea-
son. Adler Collection and Leopold Morse Overcoats Included.
Saturday—Men's \$25 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$10.00**
Saturday—Men's \$30 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$19.30**
Saturday—Men's \$35 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$23.85**
Saturday—Men's \$45 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$33.85**
Saturday—Men's \$55 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$43.85**
Saturday—Men's \$65 High-Grade Overcoats Go at **\$48.85**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
BOYS' MACKINAW
Saturday, we place on sale regular
\$15.00 a 11-wool
Mackinaws — just
what the boys
want. Saturday
at **\$8.88**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S UNDERWEAR
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Athletic Union
Suits, Imported En-
glish Broadcloth and
Rayon striped madras **95c**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S NECKWEAR
Regular 50c and 75c
Neckties will go on
sale, 1000 to select
from; 4 for \$1.00 or
one for **29c**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S GLOVES
Lined Cape Gloves, a last day
special. Regular
price positively to
\$5.00 — Saturday
in the Glove
Department **\$2.93**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S HATS
Mallory, Berg and
imported Italian—\$5,
\$6 and \$7 Hats go
the last day only, at **\$3.95**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S UNION SUITS
Saturday, the last
day, regular \$2.25
men's medium and
heavy weight Union
suits, will go at **\$1.39**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S HOSIERY
Regular 25 mercer-
ized Hosiery will
go on sale; positively
the last day at **19c**

MAKE IT A POINT TO BE HERE EARLY SATURDAY MORNING
SATURDAY ENDS THIS GREAT SALE
BOYS' SUITS—THIRD FLOOR
Stock includes Suits with 2 pairs long trousers—with 1 pair golf and 1 pair of long trousers, or with 2 pairs knickers with or without vests. Ages 4 to 18. All are well-known brands.
Saturday—Boys' \$10.00 Suits, 15 to 18, **\$4.00**
Saturday—Boys' \$16.75 all-wool Suits, **\$9.88**
Saturday—Boys' \$20.00 all-wool Suits, **\$13.88**

BOYS' OVERCOATS—THIRD FLOOR
All styles, Saturday positively the last day at these prices. Come early for them!
Boys' \$8.75 Overcoats, sizes 2, 2½, 3, **\$3.00**
Last Day—Boys' \$10.00 Overcoats go at **\$5.88**
Last Day—Boys' \$16.75 Overcoats go at **\$9.88**
Last Day—Boys' \$20.00 Overcoats go at **\$13.88**

MEN'S UNDERWEAR—MAIN FLOOR
Saturday the Last Day for This Great Sale
Men's \$1.50 Underwear at **95c**
Men's \$2.25 Union Suits (knit) **\$1.39**
Men's \$2.50 Union Suits go at **\$1.79**
Men's \$2.50 Union Suits go at **\$2.19**
Men's \$2.50 Union Suits go at **\$2.19**
Men's \$5.00 Union Suits go at **\$3.39**
Men's \$7.50 Union Suits go at **\$4.95**

MEN'S SHIRTS—MAIN FLOOR
A Sale That Is a Sale—Come Early!
\$1.50 and \$2.00 Men's Shirts, Saturday, **79c**
\$3.00 Men's Shirts, Saturday, **\$1.48**
\$4.00 Men's Shirts, Saturday, **\$2.93**
\$7.50 Men's Shirts, Saturday, **\$5.55**
\$10.00 Men's Shirts, Saturday, **\$7.85**

MEN'S HOSIERY—MAIN FLOOR
Silk, Silk-and-Wool, Wool, Etc. Hosiery
35c Men's Hosiery, Saturday, per pair, **19c**
75c Men's Hosiery, Saturday, per pair, **35c**
\$1.50 Men's Hosiery, Saturday, per pair, **95c**
\$3.00 Men's Hosiery, Saturday, per pair, **\$1.95**

MEN'S PAJAMAS AND NIGHTSHIRTS
\$1.75 Men's Pajamas, Saturday, **\$1.00**
\$2.50 and \$3.00 Men's Pajamas, Saturday, **\$1.50**
\$5.00 and \$6.00 Men's Pajamas, Saturday, **\$2.95**
\$5.00 Men's Pajamas, Saturday, **\$3.00**
\$1.50 Nightshirts, Saturday, **75c**
\$2.00 Nightshirts, Saturday, **\$1.48**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S 2-PANT SUITS
Men's Suits, regular price formerly \$35.00, will go on sale Saturday, the last day, while they last at **\$23.85**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S OVERCOATS
Men's regular \$35.00 High-Grade all-wool Overcoats go on sale the last day only at **\$23.85**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
BOYS' 2-PANT SUITS
Boys' 2-pant suits; the latest style with the desired style of trousers and vests. Reg. price positively \$16.75; at **\$9.88**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MEN'S SHIRTS
8:30 O'CLOCK SPECIAL
Promptly at 8:30 Saturday morning we place on sale 500 men's regular \$1.50 and \$2.00 pre-collared shirts, with or without collar attached. A few slightly soiled; while they last they go at **79c**

SATURDAY—THE LAST DAY
MUFFLERS
LAST DAY
Men's \$1.00 Wool Mufflers, Saturday, **59c**

SILK SHIRTS
LAST DAY
\$10.00 Men's Silk Shirts go at **\$7.85**

Boys' Longies
LAST DAY
Boys' \$2.50 Long Pants, sizes 7 to 16, **\$1.69**

BOYS' SHIRTS
LAST DAY
\$1.00 Boys' Neck-band Shirts, go at **33c**

Boys' Knickers
LAST DAY
\$2.25 Boys' Knickers, on sale Saturday, **\$1.68**

Canvas Gloves
LAST DAY
25c per pair Canvas Gloves, while they last, **9c Pair**

UNION SUITS
LAST DAY
\$7.50 high-grade men's Union Suits, Saturday, **\$4.95**

MEN'S PANTS
LAST DAY
\$5.00 Corduroy Trousers for men, Saturday, **\$3.95**

MEN'S CAPS
LAST DAY
All our \$3.00 Caps for men, Saturday, **\$1.95**

ST. LOUIS BARGAIN CENTER
Penny and Gents
BROADWAY & MORGAN ST.
WE GIVE AND REDEEM EAGLE STAMPS

Player Rolls
Regular 75c Value **49c**
In all the latest hits including:
"I Wonder Where My Baby Is Tonight?"
"Somewhere You'll Remember Me"
And many others.

SPECIAL SHOE SALE
Women's and Growing Girls' Low Shoes—\$3.00, \$4.00 and \$5.00 Values for Saturday only. **\$1.95**
Satin, patent, tan, two-tones and plain leathers. Big lot of oxfords and strap affairs. Sizes up to 10.

BOYS' \$3.50 SHOES
Tan and black leathers; school and dress shoes; also sport shoes, etc. **\$2.45 and \$1.95**

GIRLS' \$3 SHOES
Choice of dainty oxfords or high shoes—also two-tones, black and white. **\$1.98**

MEN'S \$5.00 SHOES
Special lot of high and low shoes; most are well worn and all are well-known brands; sizes 6 to 11. Saturday at **\$2.95**

NEW SPRING DRESSES
Satin, black, crepe, flat crepe, Canton crepe, satins. Black, tan, gray, cavalry, pink, bluebell, emerald, red and pearl. **\$5.00**
Sizes 16 to 48
\$10 to \$18 Values

New Hats Bargain Priced SATURDAY
\$2.98
Smart styles for young women, in silks or satins or combinations of rayon or straw braids; newest trims of flowers, ribbons or ornaments. Fakes off-face, black, wood, top, sand, red, green, rose, terra, etc.

Felt Hats
Off-face and pulch with turned-up backs; never self trims, silk or rayon, nub, wood, pink, rose, top, sand, red, green, phantom red, black. **\$1.98**

Matrons' Hats
Becoming Hats of silk or rayon, with hair-band, black, wood, terra, brown. **\$2.98**

BOYS' OVERCOATS
Final Reductions
\$7.50 heavy heavier and chinchilla. Overalls, admiral and other styles; sizes up to 8. **\$4.98**

\$7.50 Boys' 2-Pant Suits
In fancy wool mixtures, checks and stripes, plush Union suits to 16. **\$4.98**

MEN'S PANTS CLOSING OUT
\$2.50 Trousers, tweeds and chambray, dark colors; well cut and well made; sizes 34 to 42. **\$1.98**

\$1.39 GLOVES
Snead novelty turn-back suits or flare cuffs with handsome new embroidery, dressy, tan, blue, black, white, etc., and sizes 6 to 8 1/2. **88c**

Men's Handkerchiefs
About 200 white cotton handkerchiefs, long and wide, splendid quality while they last, at **4c**

GLOBE RECORDS
TWO HITS ON EVERY RECORD
Don't fail to hear
"Sunshine and You"
"Normandy"
25c
Demonstrating Records
A large selection. On sale Saturday at **10c**

\$5 SWEATER SETS
Children's all-wool Knitted 8 x 8 sweater sets; joggings, sweaters and cap, in assorted colors; 1 to 4 year sizes. **\$3.95**

\$1.25 Nightgowns
Women's heavy cotton flannel nightgowns; pink and blue stripes. **88c**

TEAR GAS FOR THIEVES ROUTS OFFICE FORCES

Fifth Floor of Arcade Building
Flooded With Smarting
Fumes by Accident.

The fifth floor of the Arcade Building was the scene of a fight and confusion at 4:15 p. m. yesterday after someone turned loose some tear gas by accidentally touching a burglar alarm in the office of Mack M. Burnstone, diamond dealer.

The fumes, pouring from the office, quickly permeated the entire floor. A fire alarm and riot call were turned in, and tenants and employees on the floor fled to the elevators and out of the building. Two elevator operators, overcome by the fumes, were relieved in the building's emergency hospital.

Police who pierced the haze were told that an employee had accidentally stepped on a plate which set off the burglar alarm and gas. The device is intended particularly to frustrate burglars, although it is considered a protection against holdup men. The gas is similar to that used by police in routing ambushed criminals. It causes profuse weeping and smarting of the eyes but has no lasting effect.

**DEDICATION OF BUILDING
FOR CHILDREN'S CENTER**
Services Sunday at Structure Part of
Sharon Zedek Congregation,
at West End and Page.

The building for the Children's Educational and Social Center at West End and Page boulevard will be dedicated Sunday afternoon. It will form the west wing of the present synagogue of the Sharon Zedek Congregation. More than 2000 children are expected to participate in the activities of the center.

Dr. Charles Hillel Kauer of Denver, Colo., vice president of the United Synagogue of America, will be the principal speaker at the exercises, which will be preceded by a brief memorial service in honor of the late David Sommers.

The corner stone of the building was laid June 24, 1924, but the construction was interrupted because of lack of funds. The building cost \$150,000, about half of which has been subscribed.

**YOUTH ORDERED HELD FOR
HOMICIDE WITHOUT BOND**

Robert Appel Named in Coroner's
Verdict for Shooting Charles
Kennedy at Drinking Party.

A verdict of homicide, holding Robert Appel, 19 years old, of 1119 South Compton avenue without bond, for the shooting of Charles Kennedy, 18, 2828A Nutters street, during a drinking party at the Appel home, Saturday night, was returned by a coroner's jury at the inquest today. Kennedy died at City Hospital yesterday from a bullet wound in the chest.

Appel, at the suggestion of Deputy Coroner Ivers, did not testify, merely remarking "I didn't mean to shoot him. It was an accident." Previously he told police he was showing a 22 caliber rifle to a prospective purchaser of liquor, when it was accidentally discharged.

**EAST SIDE CITIES PLAN
JOINT PROMOTION PROGRAM**

Initial Steps Taken Toward Organization of Project at East
St. Louis Meeting.

Initial steps in the organization of a co-operative body to promote industrial development in East Side cities from Akron to Eugene were taken at a luncheon meeting yesterday in the Community House in East St. Louis of representatives of chambers of commerce in eight of the cities. A committee was selected and it will hold its first meeting next Monday at the East St. Louis Chamber of Commerce to draw up plans of organization.

It has been proposed that the organization contain delegates from each of the cities and that it be known as the East Side Regional Development Association. Cities represented at yesterday's meeting were Akron, Granite City, Madison, Indianapolis, Belleville, Collinsville, Dupon and East St. Louis.

**LOUIS BECKER TAKES UP DUTIES
AS COLLECTOR OF REVENUE**

Succeeds Arnold J. Hoffmich, Con-
victed in Jack Daniel Whisky
Conspiracy.

Louis F. Becker, former chairman of the Republican City Central Committee, was inducted into office as United States collector of Internal Revenue in St. Louis today. The oath of office was administered by Federal Judge Davis before a large audience of department employees and friends and Becker. The collector's office was backed with an unusual display of flowers.

Becker succeeds Arnold J. Hoffmich, recently convicted at Indianapolis as one of the Jack Daniel whisky conspirators, and now serving a 2-year term in the penitentiary at Leavenworth.

14 YEARS A PAROLE VIOLATOR

After being a parole violator for 14 years, James Rose, 41 years old yesterday surrendered to Sheriff Schnipper at Belleville, saying he is wanted at the Southern Illinois Penitentiary at Chester, Ill. He said that he was sentenced to prison from a Southern Illinois county in 1911 for larceny and that he was paroled in 1912.

During the time he was a parole violator, he traveled over the West. He is held in the Belleville Jail.

BUS FIRM HEAD AND ALDERMAN DEBATE ON PNEUMATIC TIRES

R. W. Meade Says Proposed Type
Are Too Costly; Wimer De-
clares Solids Ruin Streets.

Richard W. Meade, president of the Peoples Motor Bus Co., and Alderman Wimer, who introduced an ordinance now pending to require all busses here to be equipped with pneumatic tires, debated this subject last night, as they have previously, before the Junior Chamber of Commerce at the Francis Hotel.

Their arguments largely covered the same ground discussed before as to the advantage or disadvantage of using pneumatic tires. Alderman Wimer asserted that solid-tired busses were running street pavements, while Meade replied that the busses were not to blame for damage done. The Alderman said experience in other cities showed pneumatic tires were practical for busses, but Meade declared they still were in an experimental stage and had proved costly when used on busses here.

GOVERNMENT SUPPORT URGED FOR INVESTORS IN RUBBER

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Solution of the rubber problem lies in investment of American capital in plantations, chiefly in foreign countries, Harvey S. Firestone, president of the Firestone Tire and Rubber Co. of Akron, O., told the House Commerce Committee today.

"The American people will make the necessary investments in these far-off countries only if they feel assured of sympathetic support from their own Government," he said, "and in my opinion our Government should do everything within its power, consistent with its foreign policies, to encourage such investments."

\$10,000,000 Art Plan Indorsed.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The proposal for establishment of a National Art Gallery in Washington at a cost of \$10,000,000, to house contributions of painting and statuary made to the United States, was indorsed by the board of directors of the General Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday.

OSARK REGION PICTURED AS NATIONAL PLEASURE GROUND

Great faith in the future of the Missouri Ozark country was expressed today by Keith McCandless, State Game and Fish Commissioner, in an address before the St. Louis Optimist Club. He urged that Missouri, in advertising the wealth of opportunities of the State, include that region.

Speaking chiefly of the Ozarks as a pleasure ground for the use of the public of the nation, the Commissioner explained in detail the great possibilities of the mountain country.

"I do not believe," he said, "that the Ozark bluffs, the great trees, the marvelous caves and springs, the streams and the rugged mountains; all interwoven with colorful history and legend, are surpassed in the nation."

Commissioner McCandless indorsed the Ozark Outdoor Life Exposition, and statue made to the United States, was indorsed by the board of directors of the General Federation of Women's Clubs yesterday.

Nervous Women Should Try This

Mrs. Lela Cook was nervous and short of breath for 12 years due to gas in the stomach. She tried the mixture of warm water, lemon juice, and honey (known as Ad-Ad) and it helped at once.

Many people keep the OUTSIDE body clean but let their INSIDE body get full of gas and poisons. Some use laxatives and get no relief. Some use Ad-Ad and get relief. Ad-Ad is a mixture of warm water, lemon juice, and honey. It is a natural and healthy way to get rid of gas and poisons. It is a natural and healthy way to get rid of gas and poisons. It is a natural and healthy way to get rid of gas and poisons.

Ad-Ad is a big surprise to people who have used only ordinary bowel and stomach medicine because of its REAL and quick action. In St. Louis it is sold at the following places: Dr. J. J. Weaver, a doctor for 30 years, says he knows no medicine better than Ad-Ad. Langley's Ad-Ad is a big surprise to people who have used only ordinary bowel and stomach medicine because of its REAL and quick action. In St. Louis it is sold at the following places: Dr. J. J. Weaver, a doctor for 30 years, says he knows no medicine better than Ad-Ad.

The POST-DISPATCH is the only St. Louis evening newspaper giving Associated Press news service.

That Cold may linger long or may be Ended in a Day

Colds, if neglected, may lead to death. Last year they led to 150,000 deaths. They usually lead paid \$1,000,000 for it. Take it as soon as the cold begins. It is fully to neglect them. A cold can be ended in 24 hours in the results. You can end a cold in 24 hours with HILL'S. That night way is HILL'S. It stops the cold, checks the fever, opens the bowels, ends the headache, then tones the entire system. HILL'S is as quick and effective as any cold remedy.

Be Sure It's HILL'S Price 50c
CASCARA QUININE
Get Red Box with portrait drug store.



Choice of Fine
Fur Coats

In Four Great Groups

It is now possible to secure a Fur Coat for present wear that will be right in style next season, too, at a price far under value. The savings in these three groups range from 20% to 50%!

\$139⁵⁰ \$187⁵⁰

\$279⁵⁰ \$379⁵⁰

EXQUISITE models of fine American broadtail, squirrel, Scotch mole, Hudson seal (dyed muskrat), split-skin muskrat in several shades, and many other pelts, some self-trimmed, others beautifully trimmed in contrasting furs.

Fur Salon—Third Floor.

Purchase Sale!
400 New
Spring Hats

Values to \$7
\$5

Fourth Floor—Broadway.



GARLAND'S

St. Louis Largest Women's Specialty Shop

SEMI-ANNUAL CLEARANCE SALE

Ruthless Price Cuts on the Season's Smartest Modes

Coats Below Cost

Of Either Furs or Fabrics, in Most Instances!

\$59.50 to \$79 Coats \$99 to \$125 Coats

\$35 \$55

In Addition to a Selection of Our Own Higher-Priced Coats, Our Buyer Just Secured the Entire Floor Stock From a Noted Maker at Much Less Than His Actual Cost—In Fact Many Are Offered Below the Cost of Fabric and Fur Alone!

SOFT, lustrous fabrics of excellent texture and smooth suede-like materials beautifully fashioned in latest flare or straightline models. Elegantly crepe lined. Collars, cuffs, borders and bands of rich furs. \$35

THESE Coats at \$55 are marvels! The actual fur trims, which are lavishly displayed, cost this much on many. High quality fabrics in the wanted shades and every correct style. Fox, beaver, squirrel, chinchilla and other fine furs.

Misses' and Women's Sizes

Another Remarkable Group of Fur-Trimmed Coats at \$18

Cost Salon—Third Floor.

Dresses Radically Reduced

Favored Winter Modes and Hundreds of New Spring Creations

\$25, \$30, \$35 Values Values to \$49.50

\$11⁷⁵ \$23⁷⁵

Frocks of Alluring Smartness, for Street, Sport, Afternoon, Party or Dinner Wear. Many Bright Colored Spring Styles Included at These Remarkably Low Prices. You could not buy the Materials and Trimmings Alone at These Prices.

There are more than a score of new shades in the groups. Every wanted fabric, Georgettes, satins, crepes, velvets and such in a selection of models that will please every taste. Supply your dress needs for present and Spring wear Saturday.

Misses' and Women's Sizes

Dress Salon—Second Floor.

THOMAS W. GARLAND, Inc.—Broadway and Sixth, Between Locust and St. Charles



**Hosiery
Clearance**

From High-Priced Lines
Chiffons! Thread Silks!

Fifteen new shades and black in this marvelously underpriced group, and all sizes 8 1/2 to 24.

\$1²²

FOR the graduate—our highest priced lines have been reduced and are offered at this low price for quick disposal. Every pair perfect, every pair full fashioned and with little tops.

Main Floor—Sixth St.

Girls' Dresses

\$1

DAINTY little Wash Dresses in a dozen new styles, beautifully made of cotton, linen, chambray and gingham. Stripes, checks and solid colors in every wanted shade. Some Dresses in sizes 6 to 10 have bloomers. Regular \$1.50 values.

Sizes 6 to 14

Girls' Graduation Dresses

\$9⁹⁵ to \$25

FOR the graduate—our highest priced lines have been reduced and are offered at this low price for quick disposal. Every pair perfect, every pair full fashioned and with little tops.

Sizes 10 to 17 Years

Juvenile Section—Second Floor.

**Clearance
Bandeaux
Brassieres**

2 for \$1

\$1.50 Bandeaux and Brassieres, counter marked in a clearance group below cost.

Balcony.

ST. LOUIS IS A THEATER CITY

St. Louis now has 111 theaters showing motion pictures, legitimate drama and vaudeville. Of this number 102 are motion picture houses.

Of the many retail furniture stores in St. Louis, the Prefeek Linton Furniture Co., Fifth and St. Charles Sts., is one of the few who handles furniture exclusively. Specializing on one single line for the past sixteen years enables them to offer the best values at the lowest possible prices.

Today and tomorrow are Inspection Days at their store preceding their Semi-Annual Furniture Sale which starts Monday—visit their Store Saturday—reductions 10% to 50%.

SATURDAY SPECIAL



BANJO UKE

\$2⁴⁹

3—Free Lessons—3

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1103 Olive St.
Mail Orders Promptly Filled

Globe

SUCH A SALE!

All St. Louis Is
Three Suits for

HART SC

AND MAR

SUITS

Finest woolsens and
Bracken browns, gray
etc. Newest style
unheard-of price...

\$150,000

Juvenile Suits

Value... 75c

SHIRTS

Value... 1.00

GLASSES

Value... 10c

SOCKS

Value... 8c

WINTER CAPS

Value... 50c

BOYS' SUITS

Value... 1.00

VELOUR HATS

Value... 1.90

WEATERS

Value... 2.00

SHIRTS AND TIES

Value... 50c

OPEN SATURDAY

FREE ALTERATIONS

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EIGHTH and FRANK

Cold

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cient that millions have come to
adopt it. It is so superior that we
paid \$1,000,000 for it.

Take it as soon as the cold begins.
The sooner you take it, the quicker
the results. You can end a cold,
and all the results of the cold, in
24 hours with HILL'S. And with-
out any ill results.

Price 30c
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Hosiery Clearance

m High-Priced Lines
iffons! Thread Silks!
m new shades and black in
marvelously underpriced
and all sizes 8 1/2 to 10.

\$1.22
3 Pairs
\$3.60

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\$2.49

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MUSIC COMPANY

1103 Olive St.

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

RECORD YEAR FOR U. S. IN FOREIGN TRADE

Hoover's Estimate for 1925
Based on Volume of Com-
modities, Not Prices.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—The
foreign trade of the United States
for 1925 was the greatest of any
year in history, in volume though
not in value, Secretary Hoover an-
nounced yesterday, holding that the
totals were evidence of a degree
of prosperity higher than before
experienced.

The year's exports were valued
at \$4,968,743,339 and the imports
at \$4,224,223,962, leaving a favor-
able commodity trade balance of
\$684,519,377. For 1924, exports
were valued at \$4,590,983,845, and
imports at \$3,609,962,570, leaving
a favorable trade balance of \$981-
021,268. Figures on the volume
were not available, the record be-
ing calculated on the basis of an-
nual price fluctuations.

Hoover explained that in 1919
and 1920, foreign trade figures had
reached higher totals than in 1925,
but that the war-inflated level of
prices then prevailing had caused
these totals, the volume of the
trade being much lower than that
of last year.

"It was the greatest trade re-
cord for five years as to monetary
value," he said, "and the greatest
as to quantity ever experienced in
our history. It illustrates the abili-
ty of the United States to absorb
without difficulty to its industrial
establishment an immense volume
of imports from abroad, and it
likewise illustrates the abilities of
our own industries to meet competi-
tion abroad and dispose of their
own products."

"It is rather notable that the
figures demonstrate the complete
recovery of the trade of the United
States from the war depression and
the advancement of its trade
to levels far above those of pre-
war years. None of the other great
combatant trading countries have
been able to do so well. They have
a trade volume that in monetary
value may equal pre-war, but be-
cause of the higher price level now
prevailing, their trade volume is
smaller in quantity than during
pre-war."

\$1.25 Purses
Special, at
89c

Women's under-arm
Purses in a wide as-
ortment of kinds.
Pitted with mirror.
Basement

We Give and Redeem Eagle Stamps—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

FAMOUS-BARR CO.

Basement Economy Store News

The Opportunity Is Yours in the Continuance of a Very Important Event—The Apparel Section's Extraordinary

Sale of Spring Dresses

Garments Secured From Leading Makers—Offering 200 Styles

Excess Values at... **\$8.55** Regular and Extra Sizes



Dresses in smart, new becoming models, the products of sev-
eral of New York's most capable makers. Fashioned of the
newest favored materials and offered in color tones and advan-
ced styles that are the thing for Spring. You'll agree that every
Dress is an extra value when you see them. Make it your busi-
ness to select while the assortments are so interesting.

Materials Used

Flat crepe, Georgette, char-
meuse, crepe satin, rich-look-
ing brocades, printed crepe,
silk and wool faille and satin
Canton.

Colors

Black and dark shades, includ-
ing palmetto green, lipstick,
blonde, rosewood, gray, ashes
of rose, and others.

Misses' sizes 16 to 20 years; Women's
sizes 36 to 44; extra sizes 46 to 50

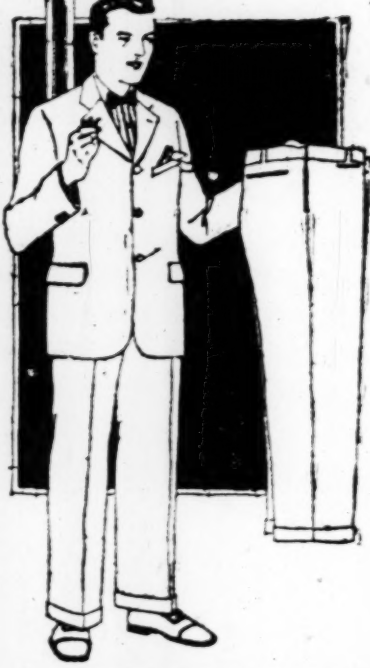
Basement Economy Store



Men and Young Men Should Avail Themselves of the Opportunity to Secure

TWO-TROUSER SUITS

Suitable for Spring Wear—\$24.50 to \$29.50 Values



Offered at... **\$18.85** Splendid Choice

Well-tailored Suits of all-wool fabrics in light and dark colors suit-
able for Spring wear. Choose from English straightline, form-fitting
and conservative models as well as plenty of double-breasted style
Suits which are so popular this season. Trousers cut wide or in regu-
lar width, with plain or cuff bottom. Sizes 16 years to 42 chest, includ-
ing regulars, stouts and slims.

Trousers
Offered at
\$3.45

Men's and young men's
wool and wool-mixed
Trousers in light and dark
colors. Various patterns.
Sizes 25 to 42 waist.

Overcoats
Offered at
\$21.75

Men's and young men's
plaid-back Overcoats in
popular styles. Sizes 34
to 48. Well tailored and
trimmed.

Overcoats
Offered at
\$14.50

Wool-mixed Overcoats for
men and young men.
Single and double-breast-
ed styles. In sizes 34 to
44.
Basement Economy Store

Featured Saturday—Three Exceptional Groups of

Girls' Winter Coats

Warm fashionable garments, every one
specially priced. Some groups are limited,
making early selection advisable.

Girls' Coats
\$5 Value,
for
\$2.95

One hundred fur-
trimmed Coats in
this lot. Of warm,
serviceable materi-
als. Sizes 3 to 12
years.

Girls' Coats
\$7.50 to \$8.95
Values
\$4.75

Coats of wool ma-
terials in various
colors. Fur trim-
med, lined and in-
terlined. Sizes 3
to 14 years.

Girls' Coats
\$12.50 to \$15
Values
\$8.95

Coats of Bolivia
and suede cloth,
with fur collars
and cuffs. Offered
in wanted shades.
Sizes 3 to 16.



An Interesting Collection of Attractive Early Spring Hats

Offered **\$3.95**
at...

New Hats that are suitable for immediate
early Spring wear. Fashioned of taffeta,
crepe, ribbon and combination materials.
Effectively trimmed with flowers and novelty
effects. In colors and black.



Basement Economy Store

Extreme Economy for Parents in These

Boys' 4-Piece Suits

Values That You Will
Instantly Appreciate at

\$11.75

Suits of wool fabrics in the
season's most popular colors of
light and dark mixtures and
striped patterns. English and
double-breasted styles. Each
Suit consists of one pair of long
and short pants, coat and vest.
Sizes 4 to 18 years.



Boys' Two-Pants Suits

Sports, pleated and plain English model Suits
of wool and wool-mixed fabrics. In light and
dark colors—stripes and mixtures. Both
knickerbockers lined. Sizes 8 to 18 years.
Special at... **\$9.00**

Boys' Novelty Suits

Middy and button-on style Suits of
jersey and wool-mixed fabrics.
Shown in various colors. Neatly
trimmed. Sizes 2 1/2
to 8 years. **\$1.95**

Boys' Overcoats

Overcoats of cheviot and chinilla
fabrics in plain and mixed patterns.
Box-back and belted. Sizes
2 to 18 years, at... **\$9.00**
Basement Economy Store

Substantial Savings May Be Effected in This Offering of

Women's \$6 to \$8 Low Shoes

Priced **\$3.95**
at...

High quality novelty Shoes, including straps, pumps and
cut-out effects. Of patent, satin and velvet, with full Louis
and Cuban covered heels. There are sizes 3 to 8 in the assort-
ment.



Boys' and Girls' Shoes

Boys' lace and blucher Shoes with
broad toes. Girls' lace Shoes of
patent and tan leathers. Broken
sizes. \$2.50 to
\$4 values. **\$1.95**

Men's \$5 and \$6 Shoes

High and low Shoes of black and
tan kid and calf leathers, on square,
round and straight lasts. Broken
sizes. At... **\$3.95**
Basement Economy Store

Chocolate Stars

Saturday, the Pound... **33c**
A favorite with many are these
Chocolate Stars, specially priced
for Saturday.
Milk Chocolate Peanut Clusters,
per pound... **35c**

Tutti-Frutti Cake

Regularly 85c, Saturday... **50c**
Three white layers filled and
covered with assorted chopped
fruits and marshmallow icing.
35c Fruit Stollen, each... **25c**
Basement

Women's Hosiery

\$1 Value,
for... **65c**

Included are semi-fashioned thread silk and silk-mixed Hosiery with
double heel tops and reinforced feet. Offered in good colors and black,
as well.

Men's Silk Hose

Full and semi-fashioned thread
Silk Socks with heel tops and
reinforced feet. Seconds **50c**
of 75c to \$1 grades... **50c**

Women's Hosiery

Full and semi-fashioned thread
silk Hosiery with reinforced feet and
heel tops. Seconds **92c**
of \$1.25 to \$1.75 grades... **92c**
Basement Economy Store

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M. LANDAU PRES.

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Parking

EIGHTH and FRANKLIN

We Give and Redeem EAGLE STAMPS

We Fill the Largest and Smallest Man

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FAMOUS-BARR CO.

We Give Eagle Stamps and Redeem Full Books for \$2.00 in Cash or \$2.50 in Merchandise—Few Restricted Articles Excepted

Largest Distributors of Merchandise at Retail in Missouri and the West

Men's Woolen Hose

75c to \$1.50
Kinds, Pair... 50c

Imported and domestic made Woolen Half Hose, plain ribbed style, checks, stripes and clocked effects. All sizes—many desired colors.

Main Floor

Men's Silk Neckwear

\$1.35
Value.... 67c

Ties of silk and satin—in stripes, figured patterns and many other favored effects—with exceptional choice of favored colorings.

Main Floor

At the Dominant Store for Men You Are Now Afforded Unusual Choice From a Specially Purchased Group of

\$40 to \$50 Suits and Overcoats

Correct Winter Models—Specially Offered at

\$34

The Two-Trouser Suits

—are in latest single and double breasted styles; of medium and dark patterned weaves, or of the plain blue serges and chevrons which are in such demand this season.

The Overcoats

—are of plain and fancy-back woollens in various shades with silk yoke and sleeve lining. In single and double breasted box models, Ulsters, Ulsterettes and Tube Coats.

Men and young men who share in this offering will further appreciate why this is called St. Louis' Dominant Store. The value-giving for \$34 is unusual—the styling of all garments is quite correct—and the splendid woollens give evidence of the general high quality of all Suits and Overcoats. As there is a wide variety and all sizes, your selection is bound to be satisfactory as well as profitable.

Society Brand Overcoats

Originally \$50 to \$85—In Three Special Groups at

\$44 \$54 and \$64

These three extraordinary groups offer exceptional savings to those who know the worth of Society Brand Clothes—all models highly correct and expertly tailored—of the excellent woollens always found in these nationally known clothes.

Ten-Payment Budget Plan

—our new charge service—enabling you to buy clothes here with a small cash amount, the balance due in ten weekly payments. Although the above \$34 Suits and Overcoats are not within the price range of this Budget Plan, we are making them an exception for those who would like to purchase them this way.

Suits and Overcoats

Winter Models for Men and Young Men

Very Special, \$28

All Sizes Included

A remarkable choice of two-trouser Suits in English or conservative, single and double breasted styles. Also Overcoats of plain or fancy-back fabrics and fully silk lined. Every garment is of an all-wool weave—an exceptional value at \$28.

Smart Burberry Overcoats

From London—Offered at Savings of.....

Choice of any of our Burberry Overcoats at this desirable saving—the distinctive Overcoats which are hand tailored in London of the best Scotch woollens; in loose, box coat and ulster models that are typically English.

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Second Floor

Men's \$4 and \$5 Soft Hats

Samples—Clearing at \$1.95

A selection of sample Soft Hats that affords splendid choice of correct shapes and various approved Winter colors, but not every size in every style, though every size is in the assortment.

\$5 Velour Hats

—of correct Fall and Winter styling and in several shades. Clearing at the special price of..... \$3.95

Men's \$5 Derbies

—in four smart Fall and Winter styles. Clearing at the special price of..... \$2.95

Main Floor



Boys' \$3.95 Cricket Sweaters

Specially Priced, Saturday Only..... \$2.95

V-neck Cricket Sweaters knitted of all-wool yarns in the popular Jacquard and allover patterns—many bright colorings. Sizes 8 to 16 years.

Lumberjacks

\$5.50
Kind..... \$4.55

All-wool plaid and plain color cotton corduroy Lumberjacks with knitted waistband. Sizes 10 to 18 years.

Clearance Items for Boys

75 \$5.50 to \$6.95 Shaker Knit Sweaters.....	\$3.95
63 \$2 Two-piece Cotton Flannel Pajamas.....	\$1.50
125 \$5c Striped Cotton Flannel Blouses.....	69c
192 \$2 Madras Collar-Attached Shirts.....	\$1.55
98 pairs \$1 Wool Sports Hose.....	79c
59 pairs \$2.25 Wool Sports Hose.....	\$1.69

Boys' Blanket Bathrobes at a saving of..... 20%

Second Floor

A New Shipment of "Bobby McLean" Skates



With Shoes—Very Special—

\$11.95

Both the Skates—in racing style—and the shoes are made according to Champion Bobby McLean's own specifications and design. Limited group.

Sixth Floor

In the January Clearance—

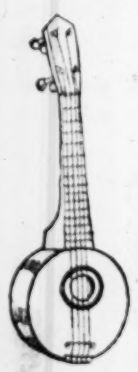
\$1.95 Ukuleles

Offered at

\$1.39

Choice of Camp or Hawaiian styles—both with good tone and attractive maple or mahogany finish. Well made, with good grade strings.

Music Salon—Sixth Floor



The Clearance in Our Men's Furnishing Section Brings This Exceptional Choice of

3628 Men's Shirts

\$1.85, \$2.50 to \$3.50 Grades, Clearing at.....

Those who await the most profitable opportunities for the supplying of shirt needs will welcome this unusual selection. Although some shirts are soiled, all are of popular kinds—in plain white and colors and neat patterns. Neckband, separate-collar and collar-attached styles. Sizes 13½ to 17 included.

600 Earl & Wilson Madras Shirts, \$2.50 to \$3.50 Grades.
300 Arrow Shirts of \$3.00 Grade.
861 Alpha Oxford Shirts of \$1.85 Grade.
487 Soiree Shirts of \$2.00 Grade.
180 Van Heusen Cuff Shirts of \$2.50 and \$3.00 Grades.
300 Self-striped Cotton Sateen Shirts of \$1.95 Grade.
300 Artificial Silk-striped Shirts of \$2.50 Grade.
600 Shirts of various kinds and \$1.95 Grade.

Main Floor

\$1.45

This "Boys' Store" Offers Splendid Choice in Three Special Groups of

Boys' Graduation Suits

With Two Pairs of Long Trousers—Priced

\$20 \$22.50 \$25

If your son is taking part in the important event of the school year—these groups afford an opportunity that you'll want to let him share Saturday. "First long-pants" Suits of navy blue—cheviots and flannels in plain, fancy or pencil-striped weaves and of very excellent qualities. Single and double breasted, two-button plain coats, correctly styled trousers—and splendid tailoring in every detail. Sizes 12 to 18 years.

Suits and Overcoats

Originally \$12.50 to \$16.50

\$11

Boys' two-piece Suits in all sizes 8 to 18 years. And double-breasted Overcoats in sizes 1½ to 8 years.



Boys' Overcoats

Specially Priced at

\$7.65 to \$23.85

Double-breasted plain model Overcoats with warm linings; brown, tan and heather shades.

Second Floor



Broken Lines of Men's

Shoes and Oxfords

Originally \$6.75
\$8 to \$11.

\$6.75

Tan Russia calf, black or tan kid, straight lace or Blucher style Oxfords and Shoes—a selection of unusual importance to men who would save on footwear. All are built on favored lasts.

\$7 to \$9 Footwear

Men's Oxfords and Shoes of tan or black calf, and tan or black kid; broken size assort. ment; pair..... \$4.35

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tistics and Other Fields Functioning
Smoothly—Use of Experts.

Special Correspondence of the
Post-Dispatch and the Chicago
Daily News.

(Copyright, 1926.)
GENEVA, Switzerland, Dec. 20.
—The ultimate value of the League
of Nations as an agency for pre-
venting war is still open to dis-
cussion; the issue is not clear. But
concerning the league's success in
all its secondary activities, there
can be no doubt. This success has
been unforeseen, tremendous and
is itself more than enough to
prove the necessity, and to justify
the continuance of the league's
existence.

Among the league's secondary
activities is that of the legal sec-
tion and commissions, which have
begun to codify international law.
There is the international labor
office, which collects information
regarding labor and industrial sit-
uations and legislation in all coun-
tries, drafts international labor
conventions, and seeks, discreetly,
to bring about a better under-
standing between capital and labor.

There are the sections, commis-
sions and commissions engaged in
international administrative and
supervisory work, as provided by
certain treaties.

There are the institute and sec-
tion for intellectual co-operation,
engaged in furthering international
education, world peace propa-
ganda and cultural relations.

There are the economic and
financial section, commissions and
commissions, whose concrete
contributions to European recon-
struction has been brilliantly suc-
cessful.

There is the section for transit
and communications, which is ac-
complishing a multiplicity of small
tasks, the sum of which is aid-
ing powerfully in knitting the
nations partially together.

There is the international social
and refugee work, the humanitarian
work, the results of which have
been vast and beneficial.

Finally, there is the interna-
tional public health section, of which
so much is being asked by mem-
bers states that it has far more to
do than its personnel and budget are
capable of doing.

It is with these matters that
most of the daily routine work of
all the league agencies is chiefly
concerned. Grave international dis-
putes which threaten world peace
arise only occasionally. But hu-
man activities, in their interna-
tional aspects, are increasing and
the unexpected and ever increas-
ing volume of business, which
comes to the league, testifies to the
fact that the league is doing more
of the world of having a perma-
nent co-ordinating center.

Center of Many Campaigns.
The league did not initiate these
various international activities.
They arose of themselves, out of
circumstances. Most of them ex-
isted before the World War. What
they lacked was a permanent co-
ordinating center.

As soon as that was provided by
the formation of the league, they
all flocked to it. Every year sees
new developments, new and exten-
sive ramifications, of the league's
secondary work. The problem is
not how to expand the work, but
how to keep it within reasonable
limits.

Perhaps the main reason for this
success is that the league, owing
to its permanence, has been able

by Walsh to Williams' statement
that the World Court might take
jurisdiction over hours of labor-
working conditions for women and
other such matters. Walsh showed
that these were questions listed in
the Versailles treaty as appropriate
for consideration by the interna-
tional labor organizations, not by
the World Court.

Williams replied that he was
seeking to indicate the scope of
the activities that might come
within the compulsory jurisdiction
of the court. He submitted that
his statement on this point was
"not disingenuous."

"I cannot," retorted Walsh, "re-
gard it as anything but mislead-
ing."

Walsh also strongly objected to
an observation by Williams that
"access to the court is determined
by the Council of the league."

"Really," said Walsh, "the Sen-
ator should have said, should he
not, that the Council fixed the
terms upon which the members
of the League of Nations were
not mentioned in the annex to the
covenant may have access to the
court."

"I think," replied Williams,
"that the Senator might possibly be
correct about that."

Walsh pointed out what he said
were other errors in Williams' speech.
The Missouriian found himself
in "a circular argument" with
Walsh on a number of questions.
His replies to Walsh strengthened
the general impression that he
has decided to cast his lot defi-
nitely with the anti-court side.

RENTED FEDERAL OFFICES HERE COST \$57,722 YEARLY

That Sum Would Be Saved
by Removal of Nine
Agencies to New Govern-
ment Building.

L. M. HALL WRITES
DYER OF CONDITION

Custodian of Custom House
Makes No Reference to
Location of Proposed
Structure.

By a Staff Correspondent of the
Post-Dispatch.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Rent-
ed quarters for Federal agencies
in St. Louis cost the Government
\$57,722 annually, an amount
that would be saved if a new office
building were erected, according
to a letter from L. M. Hall, Col-
lector of Customs and custodian
of the St. Louis Custom House, has
written to Representative Dyer of
the Twelfth District.

Hall, in his letter, did not com-
ment on the proposal to locate the
new building on Twelfth street and
the Plaza, but merely stated that
the plans, as he understood them,
called for a 10-story building, 150
feet in height, costing approxi-
mately \$1,320,000. Representative
Dyer is hopeful for an appropriation
of \$2,000,000, and the Treas-
ury Department has made an ap-
proximate estimate of \$1,600,000.

Provision for the erection of a
new Government office building in
St. Louis is made in the \$165,000-
000 public buildings bill intro-
duced in the Senate and the
House. The Senate Public Build-
ings Committee has reported fa-
vorably on the measure and the
House committee is expected to do
so soon, as the bill was drawn by
the chairman of the committee,
Richard N. Elliott (Rep.) of In-
diana.

Nine Offices Rented.
The Government rents 70,862
square feet of floor space for nine
Federal agencies, Hall said. These
nine agencies, the amount of floor
space rented and the annual rental
are as follows:

	Floor Space	Annual Rental
Veterans Bureau	3,445	\$3,644.00
Prohibition Unit	7,855	13,004.00
The City	1,600	3,750.00
Board of Agriculture	1,000	2,750.00
Geological Survey	2,000	3,600.00
Weather Bureau	2,000	3,600.00
Commerce Dept. Bureau	1,000	2,100.00
Indian Affairs	1,000	2,100.00
Ordinance Office	1,000	2,100.00
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Railroad Administration	1,000	2,100.00
Total	70,862	\$57,722.00

Hall stated that the appropria-
tion of \$55,000 carried in the
Treasury Department supply bill,
which recently passed the House
providing for the remodeling of the
Custom House, would save the
Government \$12,000 annually, as
the Mississippi River Commission,
which has been in rented quarters,
would move into the Custom
House.

Plan Commission Has Favored
Site Near Plaza for Commission,
which in the past has favored lo-
cating the new Federal Building
on Fourteenth street, facing the
Memorial Plaza, has had the matter
under consideration for some time.
The commission intends to embark
on a river front improvement pro-
gram soon, and some members believe
that a new building at the site
proposed, the southeast corner of
Fourth and Chestnut streets, would
block the river front plan, as it
would make impossible the widen-
ing of Chestnut street east of
Fourth.

BIG GERMAN IRON AND COAL
MERGER TO COMPETE WITH U.S.

Seven Rhinish and Westphalian
Interests Combine in United
Steel Works, Ltd.

By the Associated Press.
ESSEN, Jan. 15.—A huge iron
and steel merger by leading indus-
trialists of Germany, which was
concluded yesterday, represents the
preliminary step towards the for-
mation of a gigantic combine, ex-
pected to compete with the United
States steel interests and other in-
ternational industrial alliances. The
fusion of the Rhinish and West-
phalian industries is considered the
inauguration of international ad-
justment of the raw products pro-
blem.

While the Krupp are not identi-
fied with this merger, other Rhinish
organizations are principals, the
chief movers being Friedrich
Thyssen, Herr Voelger, who was
an associate of the late Hugo
Stinnes, and Emil Kirdorf, allied
with the Thyssens. Seven com-
panies or groups comprise the new
combine which will be known as
The United Steel Works, Limited.

Thirty-nine and one-half per cent
of the shares will be allotted to
the Rhein-Elbe Union, 26 per cent
to the Phoenix group and 34 per
cent to the Rheinisch group.

GOV. SMITH SAYS HE WILL QUIT AS LEADER OF PARTY

Serves Notice on New York
State Democratic Com-
mittee of Retirement at
End of Term.

INTRODUCED AS
'NEXT PRESIDENT'

Executive Laughingly Ac-
cepts "Nomination"—
Edwin Corning New Or-
ganization Chairman.

By the Associated Press.
ALBANY, N. Y., Jan. 15.—After
Edwin Corning, chairman of the
Albany County Democratic organi-
zation, was unanimously elected
chairman of the New York Demo-
cratic State Committee, here today,
Gov. Smith formally served notice
on the committee that he would re-
tire from public life at the end of
his present term and return to
New York.

"The Democratic party in the
State is in better condition now
than in many years," he declared,
"whereas the Republican party is
worse than it has been for 25
years past."

The Governor was introduced by
Corning as "the greatest Governor
of the Empire State, and I hope the
next President of the United
States." The executive laughingly
accepted the "nomination" and
then launched into the address in
praise of Democratic programs and
policies.

Corning succeeds Herbert C.
Pelton as chairman of the Demo-
cratic party in the State. He is
a well-known newspaper man,
the Governor made it clear it is
not his present intention to yield
to the pressure which is being put
upon him to continue as the titular
leader of his party in this State.

He is adverse to considering any
other nomination for Governor or
to seeking the Senatorship. He
spoke of a friend who had started
in business years ago with \$50 and
now controls a fortune which of-
fers a sad contrast to Smith's \$10-
000 salary as Governor.

"I tell you," he went on, "there
is nothing like being in business
for yourself, and that is what I
want like to do after I get
through here at the end of my
present term."

Recalling that in 1921 he had
given up a good job with the Uni-
ted States Trucking Co. to re-en-
ter the State service, he went on:
"In place of \$200,000 which I
would have earned in the last four
years I got only \$40,000 from the
State."

To some of his friends the ex-
ecutive is said to have revealed his
hope of establishing a business in
which he could take his two sons,
Arthur and Walter.

Effect of Smith's Announcement on
1928 Campaign Discussed.
By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Retera-
tion by Gov. Smith of announce-
ments that he will retire to private
life at the end of his present term
next January, has thrown a bomb-
shell into State politics. What ef-
fect his decision will have on the
national campaign in 1928 is re-
ceiving much attention. In many
quarters it is felt that his chances
for the Democratic presidential
nomination have been enhanced
and that his announcement refers
only to State office. Friends of
the Governor feel that he will be in
a better position to accept invita-
tions away from New York as a
private citizen than as a public of-
ficer tied down by his duties.

DOUMER'S TAX PLAN
REJECTED BY COMMITTEE

Radical Group in French Chamber
Plans to Build Cabinet With
Herriot as Premier.

By the Associated Press.
PARIS, Jan. 15.—The fight be-
tween Premier Briand and the
Radical majority in the Chamber
of Deputies is on.

The Finance Committee of the
Chamber yesterday threw out
Finance Minister Doumer's new
tax plan and all his other pro-
posals for restoring the coun-
try's monetary equilibrium. Friends
of the Government are expected to
work elaborating its own
plans.

It is reported that the Premier
will try to avoid a vote of confi-
dence in the Chamber, leaving it
to the Senate to upset the plans
of the Radical majority in the
Chamber.

The Radicals plan is to rebuild
the Left bloc after forcing the
Premier out, on the basis of a new
Herriot Government. The latter,
as President of the Chamber,
opened the session with a speech
emphasizing the necessity of all
citizens paying their taxes, which
was as strong support as the Pres-
ident could give to Radical ideas.

Wants Mountain Peaks Kept Safe for Climbers

Shep N. Husted, Noted Col-
orado Guide, Enroute
East to Fight Plan for
Network of Auto Roads.

By a Post-Dispatch Staff Photographer.

SHEP N. HUSTED.

stand stark challenges to the vir-
tue of the climber. Shep has him-
self climbed the daddy peak—
Long's—810 times. He is the old-
est guide in the park and, at 60
years of age, has a ruddy glow in
his seamed face; his long legs move
with the swinging grace of the
Arachnoids who preceded him over
one self-same rocky path of the
slope of the transcontinental divide.

Automobile roads now penetrate
the fringes of the park on all sides
and one runs its transcontinental
course through the heart of the
park. Now there is clamor for
more roads by those who would
like to take their mountain climb-
ing under 90-horse motors. Husted
declares that the park is the only
one of our national parks that
has not been "commercialized"—
where exclusive grant buses do
not dart back and forth on express
schedules revealing grandeur by
time-table to explorers loitering in
unholyered tonneaus.

He says that Rocky Mountain
Park is the only resort left for the
mountain climber and that auto-
mobile roads will chase those who
relish sport to the parks of Cana-
da.

He is on his way to Washington
to present his case to Secretary of
the Interior Work, himself a re-
sident of Colorado. On the way
he will stop in Cincinnati, Cleve-
land, Toledo, Pittsburgh and Phila-
delphia, enlisting support for his
crusade.

The park now is primeval. Its
176 varieties of Alpine flowers hide
away above the timber line on the
mountains. Its Indian lore and
woodcraft open up only at the end
of day-long trails. Its 26 peaks of
an altitude of 13,000 or more feet

PRIZE FIGHTER AT BANQUET
IRKS SPANISH INTELLECTUALS

"Tiger of Pyrenees" Replies to Dis-
graced Club Members With
Letter to Paper.

By the Associated Press.
BILBOA, Spain, Jan. 15.—The
Athenaeum of Bilbao, made up of
the intellectuals, recently gave a
dinner in honor of Ignazio Zuloaga,
famous Spanish painter. At the
right of Zuloaga sat Paulino Uzcudun,
champion heavyweight boxer of
Spain. This brought a protest
from several members of the Athe-
naeum, who declared Paulino's
presence did not correspond with
the dignity of a cultural society.

Paulino, known as "The Tiger of
the Pyrenees," who combines wood-
chopping with pugilism for a liv-
ing, promptly replied to the intel-
lectuals in a letter to the newspa-
per El Pueblo Vasco.

"I never believed," he said, "that
to be a boxer was dishonest, and
therefore, never thought that my
manifestation of sympathy and ad-
miration for my countryman, Zu-
loaga, at the dinner, was sufficient
to make some of the members of
the Athenaeum feel so degraded
because of my presence as to resign
from that body."

What I believe, however, and of
this I am convinced, is that I, a
boxer, native of Spain, never could
have adopted such an attitude of
enmity as was shown against me
by the Athenaeum members, an at-
titude to which I could only prop-
erly answer with a knockout."

Paderewski Sued for Program.

By the Associated Press.
PITTSBURGH, Jan. 15.—Ignace
Jan Paderewski, concert pianist,
accepted a summons in a suit for
\$5000 damages yesterday for his
alleged failure to return an old
program, the property of E. G.
Rothleder, local musician. Roth-
leder avers the program, that of
Paderewski's first recital in Berlin
in 1891, was lent to the famous
musician several years ago. Pa-
derewski said he never heard of
Rothleder and was never given the
program. The summons called up-
on Paderewski to appear in Fed-
eral Court the first week in Febru-
ary to show cause why the pro-
gram should not be returned.

SIMMONS READY FOR VOTE ON TAX MEASURE, FEB. 10

Democrat Makes Proposal
in Order to Stop "Cow-
ardly Propaganda From
Administration Sources."

OTHERS DENOUNCE
"BULLDOZING PRESS"

North Carolina Senator
Asks That Program for
\$500,000,000 Reduction
Be Considered on Merits.

By the Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—An of-
fer to set Feb. 10 or earlier as a
date for a final vote on the tax re-
duction bill has been made to the
Senate by Senator Simmons of
North Carolina, spokesman for the
Democratic members of the
Finance Committee, which is con-
sidering the measure.

The proposal yesterday met with
approval from Chairman Smead of
the committee, and Senator Sim-
mons said he would put his propo-
sition up to the Senate after de-
bate on the bill had started.

The North Carolina Senator, who
is ranking Democrat on the com-
mittee, told the Senate he made
this offer to stop "this cowardly
propaganda emanating from ad-
ministration sources and papers
that the determination of Demo-
crats to remedy the bill by pro-
posing their substitute would de-
lay tax reduction beyond March
15, when first income tax install-
ment due."

Simmons urged that the Demo-
cratic substitute program, propos-
ing revision of certain surtax rates
and a total reduction of \$500,000-
000, be considered on its merits.

Bulldozing Demanded.
Other Democratic members of
the committee joined Simmons in
denouncing the "bulldozing,
bludgeoning and terrorizing" tac-
tics of the press with respect to
the substitute program.

Two advocates of the World
Court, Senators King of Utah, and
Harrison of Mississippi, Democrats,
declared they were willing to per-
mit the tax bill to have the right
of way as soon as it reached the
Senate. Both also took cognizance
of published statements that Demo-
cratic leaders were bringing pres-
sure to bear on the Senate to de-
nounce that such was the case.

Simmons said that, during a con-
versation with Clem Shaver, chair-
man of the Democratic National
Committee, the latter had not even
intimated that he wished Demo-
crats to abandon their program.

Action in Committee.
Rushing its consideration of the
bill, the Finance Committee acted
upon several controversial items,
including the provision repealing
the law allowing publication of in-
come tax payments. No record
was taken on this proposition, but
Senator Simmons was said to have
reserved the right to present an
amendment for continuance of
publicity.

The committee accepted the fol-
lowing provisions of the House
bill:

Repeal of the stamp taxes on
conveyances in deeds, instru-
ments or writing.

Repeal of the stamp taxes on
proxies for voting and grants of
power of attorney.

Reduction of alcohol tax of
\$2.50 a gallon to \$2.10 after
Jan. 1, 1927, and to \$1.10 after
Jan. 1, 1928.

Creation of a tax of one-
cent of one cent a gallon on
cereal bran and hulls. The Pro-
hibition Bureau the right to in-
spect breweries.

In addition, the committee voted
for repeal of the stamp taxes on
custom house entries and with-
drawals and on steamship tickets.

Reduction of the alcohol levy
had been strenuously opposed by
drug manufacturers on the ground
that it would stimulate bootlegging
and patent medicine manufactur-
ing, but the House provision was
retained by a vote of 7 to 4.

FARMERS' EQUITY PAYING DEBT

Fargo Concern Has Paid \$500,000;
Still Owes \$500,000.

By the Associated Press.
FARGO, N. D., Jan. 15.—The
Equity Co-operative Exchange has
paid off \$500,000 in bonded in-
debtedness, George C. Lambert,
one of the receivers, told the an-
nual meeting yesterday.

Paul Moore, president of the
exchange, made a plea for a mer-
ger of the membership, but not
the property of the Equity Ex-
change, the Farmers' Union and
the National Producers' Alliance.

PRINCE JOACHIM'S BEHAVIOR KEEPS HIM IN PUBLIC EYE

Second Cousin of Ex-Kaiser
Shocked Family by Marriage—
Has Democratic Tendencies.

By the Associated Press.

BERLIN, Jan. 15.—Although the
Hohenzollern Princes are no longer
so rigidly bound by convention as
in the days when their house ruled
Germany, one among them keeps
constantly in the public eye by the
manner in which he exceeds his
kingsmen in eccentric behavior.

He is Prince Joachim Albrecht
von Hohenzollern, a second cousin
of the former Kaiser, who is known as
the "

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I know that my retirement will make no difference in its cardinal principles, that it will always fight for progress and reform, never tolerate injustice or corruption, always fight demagogues of all parties, never belong to any party, always oppose privileged classes and public plunderers, never lack sympathy with the poor, always remain devoted to the public welfare, never be satisfied with merely printing news, always be drastically independent, never be afraid to attack wrong, whether by predatory plutocracy or predatory poverty.

JOSEPH PULTZER.

April 10, 1907.

LETTERS FROM THE PEOPLE

The name and address of the author must accompany every contribution, but on request will not be published. Letters not exceeding 200 words will receive preference.

The Wabash Viaduct.

To the Editor of the Post-Dispatch.

I HAVE noted in the daily press that considerable space was being given to the controversy relating to the proposed viaduct over the Wabash track at Delmar boulevard. It would appear from what is published that there is much agitation and disquietude on account of the failure of the city and the Wabash Railway to settle their differences, especially the Wabash, so that this much-needed viaduct can be erected. What is the obstacle and who is inflexible? Many, no doubt, would like to find a word or words to express forcibly their opinion of the attitude of the Wabash in this controversy. The writer has been reliably informed that the Wabash has withdrawn all objections but one, and that is a fundamental one—a legal requirement as well as an indispensable preventive measure to observe the lives and limbs of their employees, and who would boycott a company for taking that precaution, namely, that the viaduct be 22 feet high from the top of the rail.

The railroad trustees in this state and in the nation are with the Wabash in this controversy, not because they are opposed to the elimination of crossings at grades, but absolutely oppose the 15-foot vertical clearance that the city is contending for from the top of the rail as this clearance would be a nuisance to the lives and limbs of the employees of the transportation department of the Wabash. For the information of the public, the following statistics have been furnished by the Interstate Commerce Commission. In 1923 and 1924, 92 employees were killed and 1769 injured on the railroads of our nation, attributable to insufficient clearances of fixed structures over and contiguous to railroad tracks. In the last of the many of lateral and vertical clearances on the railroad, there has been a shocking record of human life and limb. The human waste is the greatest and most indefensible waste which can exist. To ameliorate in our state the conditions pertaining to clearances, the following law was passed by the last session of the General Assembly.

"Except in cases in which the public Service Commission finds that such construction is impracticable, bridges, viaducts and other structures hereafter built over the track or tracks of a railroad or railroads by the county or municipality, firm or persons shall not be less than 22 feet in the clear from the top of the rails of such track or tracks to such wire or other structure or to the bottom of the lowest sill, girder or crossbeam, and the lowest downward projection on the bridge, viaduct or tunnel, or other structure."

This law was passed by the last General Assembly with only one dissenting vote and became operative July 9, 1925. The railroad organization representing the men in the transportation department of this state were the proponents of this measure, and it was enacted purely as a safety measure.

At the last convention of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, held in Cleveland, O., last May, with 96 delegates present, representing every railroad division point in the United States and Canada, they were unanimous in favor of a clearance law such as has been quoted in this letter. With this law in effect, regardless of all the controversy, this viaduct must be 22 feet unless the Public Service Commission finds that it is impracticable so to erect it, which means "impossible," and it would appear to the writer that it is the duty of the officials of the City of St. Louis to stand for a compliance with the law, not a violation thereof. The writer, as the State representative of the trainmen, is prepared to appear before the Public Service Commission at any time to meet the argument raised by the city as to the impracticability of making this viaduct 22 feet from the top of the rail, and there should be no further controversy relating to this matter.

W. A. WHHEELING,
State Legislative Representative, Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen.

Where Is the Community Chest?

YOU published recently the story of Marvin Alexander, quarry laborer who appealed to the police for aid for the burial of his wife. Out of work, with three children to support and a capital of \$20, Alexander was unable to meet the undertaker's demand for a payment of \$50. The police, it was added, could not help nor could they find a welfare organization with a fund for such purposes.

Recent news stories have related several such instances, one in which you editorially complimented the police for their worthy first-aid efforts.

What I would like to know is, where is that community chest we hear so much about when a drive for funds is on and just what is it they do with the funds after they get them?

"KEY MAN."

THINKING MEN AND THE COURT.

Senator McKinley of Illinois, stalwart Republican, has come out strongly for American adhesion to the World Court. He showed sharp impatience with the timidities and alarms which beset some of his colleagues as they contemplate this step. "Speaking to Republicans," he asserted, "let me say the thinking men in our party have no intention to lead us into the League of Nations or into foreign entanglements."

The Illinois Senator could truthfully have said the same of the thinking men of any party or of no party. No American citizen capable of thinking wants to involve his country in foreign entanglements in the sense Mr. McKinley uses that expression. No thinking American wants to jeopardize his country's sovereignty or commit his Government to any policy that would impair its freedom of action or give any foreign Government or any institution the right or power to meddle in its domestic affairs. That the American people are fearful of some such consequence, should we join the League of Nations, is undeniable. It is undeniable, too, that the thinking men of the Republican party are almost solely responsible for that state of mind. That was the fear which the thinking men of the Republican party deliberately created, fostered and played upon in their anti-League, anti-Wilson vendetta. They succeeded better than they expected—better than many of them wished. They succeeded so well that the effort of the present Republican administration for adhesion to the World Court has to be explained and defended and garnished with reassurance.

Seven years ago the thinking men of the Republican party, with distinguished exceptions, to be sure, were vehemently for letting Europe stew in its own juice. The League of Nations was anathema. But in the meantime the Republican party has come into power, and responsibility has enlightened it as to world conditions and the part we must take in world reconstruction and the cause of peace. It was this enlightenment that prompted Mr. Harding to advocate our adhesion to the World Court. And the same responsibility and enlightenment have converted Mr. Coolidge from perfunctory support of a policy he inherited to earnest championship of it.

As to our entering the League of Nations, even by the back door, as the irreconcilables delight to charge in their opposition to the World Court, that is the shoddy trickery of demagogues. The World Court is neither the back door nor side door of the League. But the World Court is a court of international justice. Thinking men, we believe, are pretty well agreed that if a body of international law is ever to be created which shall establish the same rules of conduct and fair dealing as between nations which now obtain within nations it will have to be done by such a tribunal. There can be no real international law and order, with the dignity and justice that spring therefrom, except through the functioning of a court of this caliber and character. The World Court extends to every nation that asks it its day in court. It is designed to substitute reason and justice for brute force in international relations. If such a court is not practicable after the recent blood atonement then the thinking men of all parties and of all nations must view the future with despair.

THE WABASH VIADUCT CONTROVERSY.

The letter from W. A. Wheeling, State legislative representative of the Brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen, published on this page, voices the trainmen's objections to the city's plan of building the viaduct over the Wabash tracks at the Delmar crossing, on the ground that a clearance of 22 feet between track and bridge is essential for the safety of brakemen. He states that he is informed that the Wabash has withdrawn all other objections to the city's plan.

The Post-Dispatch is consistently in favor of all plans for the protection of human life. But, in this long controversy, little or nothing has been said about this clearance demand. On March 24 last the Post-Dispatch published a long statement from President Tausig of the Wabash Railway, in which he recited the various differences between the company and the city, but not a word as to this matter of clearance. And if that is all that stands between a settlement of the controversy the public has not been so informed, the matter now being before the United States Supreme Court, with the Mayor and others calling for a boycott of the railway.

On March 25 last the Post-Dispatch published the

THE BIG BOSS.

(From the New York World.)



news that the Wabash management was willing to submit all questions at issue to arbitration. That offer was rejected and the contestants have been at loggerheads ever since. But if clearance is the only question left to arbitrate, as Mr. Wheeling asserts, let's arbitrate and settle it at once and start building.

CERBERUS NODS.

Evading somehow the intricate trap set by Mr. Kellogg for dangerous aliens, Lady Cynthia Mosley and her husband, Oswald Mosley, have landed in this country and have already begun to air their radical views. Lady Cynthia is, we think, a more insidious influence even than the Countess Karolyi. Lady Cynthia is much richer and a dazzler for looks.

Upon her arrival in New York she proceeded to raise the radical flag, not at Mr. Zero's soup kitchen on the lower East Side, but at the opulent Hotel St. Regis. Lady Cynthia thus surrounds her views with an air of fashion. Her appeal is not to the groundlings, but to the beau monde. To be of the ultra-ultra, says this siren, follow me. There is no real culture in England except under the standard of socialism, goes her wooling invitation, while Oswald, her husband, reels off the names of the famous men of England with whom the proselyte may be identified.

Under this soft sybaritism, however, Lady Cynthia packs a mighty punch. Two-thirds of the British soldiers have joined the Labor party. Capitalism's day is over. War is a filthy thing, made for profiteers. The soldiers would not be fooled again into going to war. The era of socialism dawns. Thus does the lady say things which, in the mouths of others, have caused nervous prostration in the State Department. We doubt not that Mr. Kellogg will have a bad case of hebe-jebes when he realizes that he has permitted a load of dynamite, under the guise of a chic and beautiful lady, to pass our heavily guarded ports. Why, this woman might start a socialistic fad that will invade even the precincts of Mr. Kellogg's drawing room. As a 100-percent Secretary of State, just what does he intend to do about it? Just how is he to explain the dreadful slip by which the dangerous Lady Cynthia was allowed to enter this country?

\$320,000 FOR UNCLE.

A situation which calls for loud and irreverent guffaws from the gallery has developed in the Remus case. After sending Remus to the penitentiary for bootlegging, the Government is now hounding him for its share of the proceeds of Remus' liquor business.

CHARTING THE TRACKLESS SKY.

Radio experts of the United States Air Mail announce perfection of a system whereby pilots may follow a charted course through the air. The device, we are told, consists of a new type radio transmitter which can send impulses in one fixed direction. This, by relay stations miles apart the air mail will shortly stretch a magic ribbon through the clouds from coast to coast. As long as pilots follow this current of radio waves, instruments in their ships click merrily, but if they venture astray the signaling halts and they are warned.

As a safety device the invention is of tremendous importance. Most of the accidents which have befallen aviators engaged in cross-country flying happened because they got lost in storms, fog or darkness and could find no adequate landing space. But there are other things promised by this new departure far more significant to aviation than the safety element. If a form of transmission which can lay down definite paths across the heavens has been discovered, may not these faint trails of the present become broad highways in the future—highways of electric energy which may be tapped by electrically driven aircraft? This has been one of the dreams of Nicola Tesla, Marconi and other scientists. Wireless transmission of energy has been a fond hope entertained by all who can conceive its exciting possibilities.

But whether it comes or not, the public should be grateful for a marked advance in radio science and a boon to those intrepid souls who venture into the turbulent sky.

The new Public Service Co., by its promise of "good transportation and plenty of it," seems to indicate that it does not wish its initials, P. S., to stand in the public mind for "Packed Sardines."

JUST A MINUTE

Written for the Post-Dispatch
By CLARK McADAMS

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INFORMATION, PLEASE:

I feel that I can understand
Why Amundsen cannot stay home,
Or why we never see a band
Take up its stand beneath a dome.
I know why most of us like jazz.
And what to use when dogs have manged—
But tell me, pray, what Garfield has
On Olive as a phone exchange?

I have no wish, sweet friends, to razz
The Bell or it and us as strange—
But tell me, pray, what Garfield has
On Olive as a phone exchange?

I know why Coolidge never talks.
And what he would say if he did.
I well know why the farmer squawks.
And why our own life's pyramid.
I know why times in France are bad.
And why the papers kid Red Grange—
But what was it that Prospect had
On Sidney as a phone exchange?

I am not, as you may say, mad;
These things to me are only strange.
So tell me, pray, what Prospect had
On Sidney as a phone exchange?

It is not merely that real estate values in Florida are sensational. If we may believe the following dispatch from that State humanitarian values are also exceptional:

Ocala—When the door of a case filled with hogs broke, the porkers scampered out upon Ocala's greens and awakened the community with their squeals. The Children's Mission Society plans to open an institution for helpless little ones of Marion County.

Where is there another Children's Mission Society, or Boys' Corn Growing Club, or Humane Society, equaling that?

A telegraph operator in Canada became ill and lapsed into a coma from which his physician was unable to arouse him. After several days of futile efforts the administration of medicine became a necessity and something had to be done to arouse him. The physician knew of the awakening of telegraph operators when they hear their call letters, and he decided to try this as a last resort. He accordingly had a circuit set up in the sick room and an operator sent the following message prefixed by the sick man's call letters: "It is time to take your medicine." In an instant the patient awoke, took his medicine, and again lapsed into a state of coma. The physician did its work, however, and before long he had recovered and was once more back at his key.

The spectacle of the man who looted the Night and Day Bank serving an eight-year term at Jefferson City will probably deter some other would-be bandit, which is not a bad way to prevent crime.

A train poll shows a heavy majority opinion that prohibition is a failure, but it is mighty dusty on trains.

BE REASONABLE, FOLKS.

(Milan, Mo., Standard.)

Don't blame Milan children for howling. All of us would be doing the same thing if we knew it would get us what we want.

SINGING.

Never let the world see you are pining;
Smile to show you're happy all the day—
Always looking for a silver lining;
That's the way to chase the blues away.

Never let your troubles or a sorrow
Make you wish that you were dead and gone—
Remember there is always a tomorrow,
And that's the day that you should figure on.

BILLIE KAY.

Attempts to settle the hard coal strike continue futile—owing, no doubt, to the headbandedness on both sides.

Anyway, George Remus did what Diogenes could not do—he found an honest man.

THE DAWN OF PEACE.
From the Fairhaven Star.

A BRITISH statesman of note recently said that 1925 is the first year in which the first real advance has been made for securing permanent world peace. Those who have learned even in a small degree from the papers with vision that makes outside their own puny interests cannot have failed to see that Europe is making a desperate attempt to rise above its passions and prejudices and find a method of settling its difficulties without fighting.

The League of Nations is functioning where it ought to function, and in a manner that must be gratifying to its friends. The Locarno peace treaty is the longest step toward universal peace that Europe has taken in a century. The United States in the Permanent Court on International Justice a tribunal that offers much for the welfare of all peoples, and we are about to take our rightful and dutiful place in that court. Hope beams everywhere.

AUTHORS AND THEIR PENS.
From the Baltimore Sun.

IT is all right for the Paris almanac to publish the avocations of French literary men if it wants to. The public may be interested in knowing that one prominent author is an engineer, another a maker of perfumes, another a master draper, and so forth. But since the list is described as that of "writers," it is obviously a mistake to include a pig dealer. Do they raise pigs in France on bushes?

THE FRUIT OF LIBERTY.
HEALTH brings with it its own checks and balances. The basis of political economy is noninterference. The only safe rule is found in the self-adjusting meter of demand and supply. Do not legislate. Meddle, and you map the sinews with your compulsory laws. Give no bounties, make equal laws, secure life and property, and you need not give aims. Open the doors of opportunity to talent and virtue, and they will do themselves justice, and property will not be in bad hands. In a free and just commonwealth property rubs from the idle and imbecile to the industrious, brave and persevering.

RALPH WALDO EMERSON.

THE MIRROR OF PUBLIC OPINION.
THE WAY TO LEGAL REFORM.
DR. ROSCOE POUND, Dean of the Harvard Law School, in Harper's Magazine for January.

IT is no more possible to conduct the business of the tribunals of the great city of today on the traditional lines of the old English courts, as modified in the early nineteenth century to meet the needs of that time, than to conduct the affairs of a modern industrial plant with the methods of a century ago. In the substantive law there has been steady growth. But growth by judicial decision, through experience of the operation of legal precepts in their application to litigated cases, is too halting to meet the needs of business in an era of rapid development of business methods. The main difficulty is that it is one's business to study the law functionally, to perceive how and where it fails short, and why; to discover leaks in its apparatus of precepts and doctrines and find out how to stop them. . . . We must find some agency which is always in operation, which works under conditions of permanence, independence, and assured impartiality, in which, therefore, the public may repose confidence. . . . If our law schools were endowed and equipped for research as our medical schools are, we might expect great things from them. Now where else shall we find the conditions of continuity of investigation, permanence of tenure, independence of politics, and assured competency, scientific spirit and scientific method, without which the necessary research will fall short of its purpose. . . . We can expect our law schools, through chairs of criminal law, of legislation, of judicial organization and administration, and of comparative law, to lay broad and deep foundations on which our legislators may build with confidence.

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Mrs. Louis D. Lawlin of 5123 Washington boulevard will leave St. Louis Sunday for San Antonio, Tex., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Westfall. Miss Bolin is a graduate of Mary Institute and Miss Ely's School in Greenwich, Conn. She made her first last winter and served as a maid of honor at the wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Shillington, a graduate of Amherst College and member of Psi Upsilon.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph L. Werner of Hotel Chase will sail Jan. 15 on the Aquatania for a two months' trip abroad. They will spend much of their time buying furniture for their country house on the St. Louis County Club grounds, which will be completed by the spring.

Mrs. Arthur B. Shepley of 59 Westmoreland place, will leave St. Louis Monday for Forest Hills, N. Y., to visit her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lawrence Keyes III, for a week. Mrs. Keyes was Miss Emily Catlin Shepley.

Mrs. William Stewart Moore and sister, Miss Juanita Moore of 201 Shennandoah avenue, will give bridge luncheon at Hotel Chase Saturday, Jan. 14. There will be 24 guests. Miss Mutas has chosen Jan. 24 as the date of her wedding. Thelma Stockholm of Philadelphia.

Mrs. Daniel Catlin of 59 Westmoreland place returned home Sunday after a visit in New York.

The funeral of Mrs. Kathryn Bonner, 76 years old, a resident of St. Louis for 50 years, took place today from her residence, 255 Vandeventer avenue, to Bellefontaine Cemetery. She died Wednesday night of a complication of diseases. She was the widow of Samuel Bonner, president of the Bonner-Zeller Iron Co., who died in 1904.

She is survived by one daughter, Mrs. Virginia Beach, and son, John F. Bonner, both of St. Louis.

Minuteman Heads Lutheran Body.
NEW YORK, Jan. 13.—Dr. Gustav Albert Andren, for 25 years pastor of Augustana, College Rock, Ind., was elected president of the National Lutheran Educational Association yesterday at its annual meeting. The Rev. Charles Orrin Solberg of Sioux Falls, S. D., was elected vice president. Dr. Reese Edgar Tullies, president of the Wisconsin College, Wausau, Wis., was elected secretary, and Prof. H. J. Arnold, also of Wisconsin, was named treasurer.

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Minuteman Heads Lutheran Body.
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TO BE A BRIDE



—Photo by Murlilo.

MISS MARIE GUYANN.
Mr. and Mrs. Charles J. Guyann, of 5966 De Giverville avenue, announced the betrothal of their daughter, Marie, to Joseph D. Murnane, son of Mr. and Mrs. C. Murnane, of 5123 Raymond avenue, at a bridge luncheon, Saturday, Jan. 2. Covers were laid for 16. No date has been set for the wedding.

UNION METHODIST CHURCH PLANS NEW \$50,000 BUILDING

Trustees Approve Construction of
First Unit of Institutional
Group on Delmar.

Construction of a \$50,000 building as the first unit in a proposed group of institutional buildings has been recommended by the board of trustees of Union Methodist Episcopal Church, 3610 Delmar boulevard, and will be submitted to a vote of the church's official board soon. It is expected that authorization for the work will be obtained and the Rev. Thomas O. Grieves, pastor of the church, said today he hoped the addition would be ready by next fall.

It is proposed to construct the building back of Luccock Lodge, another branch of the church, just west of the main church building. It will contain 24 Sunday school classrooms, a dining hall, recreation parlor and additional equipment for social entertainment.

WOMAN PHYSICIAN DIES AT 78

Dr. Mary L. Becker Practiced Here
for Many Years Before Retiring.

Dr. Mary L. Becker, retired homoeopathic physician, died yesterday of heart trouble at her home 4743 La Salle avenue. She was 78 years old and had not practiced her profession for some years. Dr. Becker's practice, after graduating from the Missouri Homoeopathic Medical College, now out of existence, extended over a period of 42 years. She was born in Germany and came to this country with her parents at the age of five.

She is survived by a son, Dr. William H. Becker, and three daughters, Mrs. Mathilda Bohnenkamp, Mrs. William Dorn and Miss Anna J. Becker, all of St. Louis. The funeral will be private tomorrow from the home with interment in Bellefontaine cemetery.

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OPERA HOUSE OWNERS OPPOSE KAHN'S PLAN

They Are Unwilling to Put Up
New Building on His
Site.

By Leased Wire From the New
York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The socially prominent families that own the Metropolitan Opera House, led by R. Fulton Cutting, have served notice on Otto H. Kahn that if he does not like their opera house he might leave it and build one for himself.

The language of the notice was punctilious, but the meaning was unambiguous.

On one side is the older generation of New York's families, which built the opera house 43 years ago and still holds it as the Metropolitan Opera and Real Estate Co.

These families do not produce opera. They simply attend it. Singers are hired, operas are rehearsed, seats are owned and performances managed by their tenant, the Metropolitan Opera Co., and at present the tenant is mostly Otto H. Kahn. He is majority stockholder in the producing company.

Kahn Bought a Site.

Kahn wanted a new opera house for his producing company. He saw a chance to acquire a good site, so he bought it on his own initiative with about \$3,000,000. Then he offered to sell the site to the Metropolitan Opera and Real Estate Co. The company was to build a new opera house and continue the old landlord-tenant relation.

Yesterday, however, the older generation, in a statement made public by Cutting as president of the Metropolitan Opera and Real Estate Co., contradicted Kahn's complaints about the present opera house, point by point. And Mr. Cutting's statement ended with the sentence:

"If it is desirable that the building should be replaced by one larger and more scientifically equipped, I presume the chairman of which Mr. Kahn is chairman will undertake the project."

That leaves Kahn with control of an opera-producing company and ownership of a site for a new opera house. It also leaves the impression, freely expressed last night in the corridors of the opera house, that Kahn has been "sat on by the older generation."

Possible Opera War.

The next move is considered to be Kahn's. If he feels that he has been affronted and declares war, the result is expected to be the construction of a rival opera house and an operating war in New York. It would be similar to that which dazed New York for three seasons, 42 years ago, when the Metropolitan Opera House was "the new opera house," and the Academy of Music in Fourteenth street was "the old opera house." Victory went to the Metropolitan Opera House, where "society" was.

Years later Oscar Hammerstein tried unsuccessfully to compete with the Metropolitan. When he quit, he said:

"To have grand opera, you must have society; and you can't split society in two; you have all or none."

TUNES FROM JAZZ WORLD IN DE LAMARTE'S SYMPHONY

"Grizzly Bear" Revived in Orchestral
Piece to Be Presented
Today in Chicago.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—A symphony of authentic American tunes, which the composer calls a "collection from the jazz world," ranging from Negro folk melodies to the faded popular ballads of nearly a generation ago, is on today's program of the Chicago Symphony Orchestra.

Eric de Lamarter, organist, composed the work, which is entitled "After Walt Whitman." The three movements carry quotations from Whitman as captions.

Its chief tune is the "Grizzly Bear," which came from the Barbary coast of San Francisco some years ago in a musical show, "A Modern Eve." Its complement is a classic from the era, "The Honey-suckle and the Bee."

"The slow movement of the symphony is based upon four Kentucky folk tunes, 'John Riley,' 'The Hangman's Son,' 'Little Sparrow,' and 'Frog Went a-Courting.'"

The last movement has a for trot rhythm for its basis and quotes a few bars each from Jerome Kern's "Raggy Ann," Walter Donaldson's "Swanee Butterfly" and another popular ballad, "By the Light of the Stars."

Steamship Movements.

Arrived.
New York, Jan. 14, Gripsholm, Gothenburg.

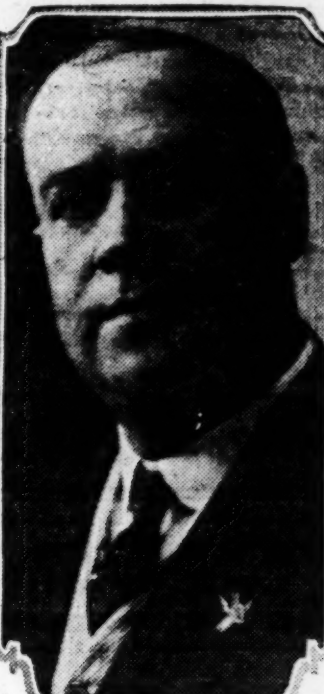
Plymouth, Jan. 13, Berlin, New York for Bremen.

Shanghai, Jan. 14, Empress of Australia, Vancouver.

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New York, Jan. 14, Franconia, Funchel.

French Novelist Dies.
PARIS, Jan. 15.—Rene Boylesse, novelist and member of the French Academy, died yesterday. Among his best known works were "Mon Amour," "La Jeune Fille Bien Elevee" and "Nymphs Dancing With Satyr."

SINGER WHO IS DEAD



JOHN W. MEYER.

FUNERAL OF JOHN W. MEYER WILL BE HELD TOMORROW

Quartet to Which He Belonged
Will Sing Tosti's "Goodbye" as
He Requested.

The funeral of John W. Meyer, 59 years old, a deputy clerk in the Probate Court and well known in St. Louis as a basso singer, will be at 2 p. m. tomorrow from an undertaker's chapel at 4884 Manchester avenue. Burial will be in Memorial Cemetery.

Mr. Meyer was a member of the Hot Time and Garden Minstrels here several years ago, and more recently had been in the Big Brothers Minstrels. The St. Louis

Quartet, of which he was formerly a member, will sing Tosti's "Goodbye" at his funeral in accordance with a request made after he became ill.

He died Wednesday of heart disease at his home, 4566 St. Ferdinand avenue, after an illness of two weeks. Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Catherine Meyer; two sons and two stepdaughters.

Osteopaths to Hold Luncheon.

The St. Louis Osteopathic Association will hold luncheon and dinner meetings at 1:30 and 6:30 p. m. tomorrow at the Hotel Claridge. It was announced today by the program committee, Drs. Homer Bailey, A. B. King and E. A. Harnicle, Dr. D. L. Clark and Dr. George M. Laughlin will be speakers. Following the dinner a business meeting will be held, at which Mrs. Louis J. Brooks, executive chairman of the Women's National Exposition, will describe the association's booth to be presented at the exposition.

RABBI WITT TELLS OF PALESTINE VISIT

Regards Political Zionism as
Practical Enterprise for
Repatriation.

Rabbi Louis Witt of Temple Shaare Emeth, delivering "A Message From Palestine," at the installation of officers of the Ibn Ezra Lodge at Harburger Hall, last night, gave his interpretation of the Zionist movement and described his personal feelings upon his recent visit to the Holy Land. "Political Zionism is not only a practical enterprise for the repatriation of the Jew," he said, "but also is a philosophy, an interpretation, of Jewish life. Its slogan, 'A Jewish State for the Jewish Nation,' is a logical derivation from its interpretation of the Jew in terms of nationalism. It says we were at one time a nation in aspiration, even when we were deprived of our land; we must give ourselves no rest until our aspiration to be a nation has once more found fulfillment in our ancient fatherland."

"What drew me to the 'Little Land' Why was I so thrilled and exalted at the sight of it? Because my people had at one time lived there as a nation. I had little interest and less pride in the national or political epoch of the history of my people. It was far behind me, buried in an inglorious oblivion. I could not detect in myself the slightest trace of national feeling. I was drawn to that 'Little Land,' because it is a holy land, made holy by the holiness which is the very essence and genius of my people."

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\$16,500,000 SUIT AGAINST LEASE ON TEAPOT DOME

Wyoming Man Charges Sinclair Failed to Buy His Tide; Claims One-Seventh.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—One-seventh of Harry F. Sinclair's Teapot Dome oil holdings, estimated at \$16,500,000, is claimed by H. Leslie Parker, wealthy oil magnate of Casper, Wyo., in a suit on file in the Federal Court here today. The complaint, a copy of which was served on Sinclair before he departed for the West, alleges that when Sinclair bought up titles to the oil land inside Teapot Dome as a forerunner to the transaction whereby he later obtained the operating leases, Parker and his partner, Marion N. Wheeler, of Casper, Wyo., were left out.

Parker's alleged claim to Teapot Dome dates back to 1920 and 1921, when he and his partner bought out one-seventh of the original claims.

The legality of the Sinclair leases was upheld by the Federal Court in Wyoming last June, but the Government's appeal is pending in the Court of Appeals in St. Louis.

American Wins Belgian Prize.
By the Associated Press.
CAMBRIDGE, Mass., Jan. 15.—For the second time an American has won the prize awarded annually by the Royal Academy of Belgium for its mathematical competition. The 1925 winner was Assistant Professor William C. Graustein of the department of mathematics at Harvard University, for his memoir on the geometry of surfaces. It is announced. The only other American to win the prize was Prof. E. J. Wilczynski of the University of Chicago, who led in the 1923 competition.

American Diplomat Promoted.
WASHINGTON, Jan. 15.—Dewitt Clinton Peole of Moline, Ill., now Consul General of Cape Town, has been appointed counselor of the Embassy in Berlin.

DANCER WINS LEGAL FIGHT U. S. Court Rules Against Removal of Evan Fontaine.

By the Associated Press.
CHICAGO, Jan. 15.—Evan Fontaine, the dancer, will not be taken back to California to face Federal Court contempt charges, in connection with her suit against Cornelius Vanderbilt Whitney, Federal Judge Wilkerson yesterday denied the Government's petition for her removal to California, where contempt charges have been filed.

The dancer sued Whitney for \$1,000,000 for breach of promise in the Superior Court of New York last year after a similar suit filed in the State courts, and then transferred to the Federal courts, had been dismissed. In dismissing the case, the Federal courts in California issued an injunction restraining her from her action and the California Court claims she was in contempt in filing the later suit.

RENT STRIKE LEADER DEPORTED Vera Cruz Threatens to Jail Non-Payers.

By the Associated Press.
VERA CRUZ, Jan. 15.—The municipal authorities, who recently expelled Heron Proal, leader of the rent-striking tenants, are continuing their campaign to end the strike. They have served notice on all the tenants who for more than four years have paid no rent or taxes that they will be jailed if they continue the movement.

Proal, who was sent away on the steamer Villahermosa, was not permitted to land at Protonera, and dispatches say he will be deported to Guatemala, of which he is a citizen, as a pernicious foreigner. The Vera Cruz municipality has informed Proal's secretary, Maria Luisa Martin, that he must sever connections with the tenants' syndicate within 48 hours or face expulsion.

SHEFFIELD AND SAENS CONFER U. S. Ambassador and Mexican Minister Issue No Statements.

By the Associated Press.
MEXICO CITY, Jan. 15.—It is learned authoritatively that the Mexican Government has not yet handed a note to the American Ambassador, James R. Sheffield, in reply to the contentions of the United States Government in Mexican land and petroleum legislation.

The Ambassador had a long conference yesterday with the Mexican Foreign Minister, Aaron Saens, but neither the Ambassador nor the Minister would disclose the details of the conversations. Sheffield again declined to discuss the matter, even remotely. Those who are conversant with the situation, however, believe that indications continue favorable for an amicable adjustment.

BUSINESS PAUSES FOR FUNERAL POPLAR BLUFF, Mo., Jan. 15.

Business in Poplar Bluff suspended two hours yesterday in respect to James L. Dalton, former resident of this city, who died at Cincinnati Monday night. Approximately 2000 attended the funeral services.

Mr. Dalton was president of the Wright-Dalton-Bell Anchor Store Co., the largest department store in Southeast Missouri, and was also head of the Dalton Adding Machine Co., which was founded in Poplar Bluff in 1902. The factory, however, was moved to Cincinnati in 1914.

Child Labor Amendment Rejected.
RICHMOND, Va., Jan. 15.—The Virginia General Assembly yesterday went on record as opposed to the proposed child labor amendment to the Federal Constitution. The Senate voted, 34 to 1, to reject the amendment and the House acted unanimously.

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"Marjorie" Diamond Ring
Set in beautiful 18-k. white gold. Ring set with a blue-white diamond.
\$125
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"Lexington" Diamond Ring
A fine example of rare elegance. The mounting is 18-k. white gold or 14-k. green gold. Octagon top. Brilliant blue-white diamond of dazzling radiance.
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\$3.75 a Week

"Madelyn" Diamond Ring
A rich design in 18-k. white gold. Ring set with a blue-white diamond of dazzling beauty.
\$50
\$1.25 a Week

"Patti" Diamond Ring
Brilliant blue-white diamond. Ring is 18-k. white gold. Broad band. Ring set with a blue-white diamond.
\$300
\$7.50 a Week

Diamond Cuff Links
Three gorgeous brilliant blue-white diamonds in center with 12 blue-white diamonds and 4 Sapphires surrounding. All platinum. Very beautiful.
\$225
\$5.50 a Week
Other Diamond Dinner Rings at \$100 up

Diamond Scarf Pin
Exceptionally handsome Scarf Pin. Head is all platinum. Ring is 18-k. white gold. Set with one fine blue-white diamond of dazzling radiance. And two blue Sapphires.
\$100
\$2.50 a Week
Other Styles \$17.50 to \$200

"Orienta" Pearls
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WEDDING RINGS
The "White" solid 18-k. white gold. \$7.50
The "White" all platinum or solid 18-k. white gold. Set with your choice of 3, 5, 7 or 9 beautiful blue-white diamonds. \$22.50 and up.

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Platinum set 18-k. white gold. Set with 3 fine blue-white diamonds. The brooch consists of a round, cup-shaped, being richly wrought with lace lines and filigree work. Length 2 1/2 inches. \$100
\$2.50 a Week

White Gold Wrist Watch
The newest design in ladies' high-grade wrist watches. The case is 18-k. white gold, hand-engraved with beautiful patterns. Fancy with emerald, silver dial. High-grade 15-jewel movement. \$30
\$1.00 a Week

17-JEWEL ELGIN
A new attractive design. 15-jewel case. Your choice of white or 18-k. gold. 22-year gold. Fully guaranteed case. \$1.00 a Week

Waives Right of Appeal

and Charge of Murder in Hammett Case Is Continued.

SPROUL ALSO UNDER CONVICTION

Other Youths to Get Life Terms If They Plead Guilty of Part in Shooting of Officer.

Frank Bird, 19 years old, today waived his right of appeal and accepted a sentence of life imprisonment for the murder of policeman John H. Grogan, of which he was convicted a week ago. He was taken to the penitentiary immediately.

Consideration of his action, said Attorney Sidner caused dismissal of the remaining charges against Bird.

First-degree murder against Bird was based on the killing of Hammett. Patrolman Grogan and Hammett, a salesman, shot by young robbers fleeing from the Collins' printing office, Washington, Mo., after a robbery there July 1 last.

The same opportunity, it is expected, will be given to Leo Sproul, a jury yesterday found guilty of the Grogan murder and sentenced to life imprisonment.

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Mr. Hammett was present when verdict in Sproul's case was returned, as was Miss Sybil Grogan, sister of the policeman.

BURGLARY POLICIES CANCELED

BY NEW YORK COMPANY

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Drastic actions have been placed on underwriting of burglary policies by the Metropolitan area by National Surety Co., because of recent burglaries, real and faked.

The New York Life Insurance Co., a subsidiary specializing in burglary, will discontinue such policies, unless underwritten at the office subject to right restriction.

The manner thus diverted possibly be placed in the hands of the police, according to A. H. Robinson, treasurer of the insurance company. Notices have been sent to burglary policy holders of their policies will be canceled on Jan. 17.

Robinson said the company had much money on hand of demands of dollars worth of policies. Underwritten for it in the last year. Increased thefts in Metropolitan area and the general type of policy holder entered here caused the company officials of the company.

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that their policies will be canceled
Jan. 15.

Opportunity

...as the old saying goes...
"knocks only once in a
while at your door"...you
must grasp it while it's here
...there never was such a
golden opportunity to buy
good clothes at such big sav-
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Overcoat...or a few Suits...
or a pair of pants...or
clothes for your boys...
don't miss this genuine
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SMASHING all records in value-giving Saturday--
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Winter driving--semi-dress Overcoats, latest blues, many with velvet collars--new English Overcoats with peaked
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Saturday at savings that will amaze you. Better come and pick out the Overcoat you want--you can save from \$15 to \$25 and
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vailing colors... solid shades and the popular over-
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Many Coats from the "Brentworth" stock included
at this price. Thousands of them to choose from...
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urday in this mighty Expansion sale at.....

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Large Size Melton Pants \$2.75	\$5.00 Trousers \$2.75	\$6.00 Trousers \$3.75	\$8.00 Trousers \$4.75	\$10.00 Trousers \$5.75	All-Wool Blue Serge Pants \$3.39
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For Men or Young Men
Men's and Young Men's Splendid
\$25 and \$27.50 Suits
(cassimeres and chevrons in
light and dark shades. Pencil
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English, conservative and
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Tailored by hand and fashioned
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Pure worsteds, cassimeres, ve-
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Suits of tweeds and cassimeres in
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Boys' Graduation Suits
\$15 Two-Pant Suits
All-wool homespun, cassi-
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short pants or two
pairs of lined knick-
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tailored. \$
to 14 years.
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Fashionable new vest mod-
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style. Long and short
pants or two lined
knickers.
Light, dark
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shades.
Sizes 6 to
18 years.
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Stylish English single
and double breasted models.
Vests, a pair of long and
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knickers. Dark grays and
dark - colored
and plaids.
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The latest English double-
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Long and
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All sizes.
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Hundreds of them--in sizes from 2 to 18 years at a
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**MEN'S
YOUNG MEN'S
YOUTHS'**

11-YEAR-OLD BOY, INTOXICATED IN SCHOOL, TAKEN TO HOSPITAL

Blair Pupils' Condition Said to Be Serious: Tells of Being Forced to Drink by Man.

Police were called to the Blair school at Twenty-second and Montgomery streets, today, to take charge of an intoxicated 11-year-old boy, Carl Jenkins, of 2212 Madison street.

They found him in the office of the principal, Prentice H. Deffenbail, who explained the boy became hysterical in his class at 9:30 a. m. and was removed to the office for discipline. The boy was taken to City Hospital, where a physician pronounced him suffering from acute alcoholism, and in a serious condition.

At the boy's home, officers were told by neighbors that he lived with his widowed mother, Mrs. Florence Jenkins, who was at work.

The boy related at the hospital that he was passing through an alley on his way to school when he was seized by a man, who gagged him with a handkerchief, put him in an automobile and took him to a house where he was forced to drink something from a black bottle. He said he was returned to the alley in time for school.

Coolidge Doubles Gift to Charity.

NORTAMPTON, Mass., Jan. 15.—President Coolidge has doubled the contribution he made last year to the Community Chest of his home town. A letter from the White House, made public by the Campaign Committee, indicated the Community Chest as combining principles of efficiency and economy with that co-operation which is essential if waste and duplication are to be avoided.

WELCH MADE GRAPE JUICE TO AVOID 'CUP OF DEVILS'

His Will Ascribes Origin of Manufacturer's Fortune to Prohibition Motive.

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375 MULES DRIVEN TO SAFETY IN FIRE IN EAST ST. LOUIS

Flames Sweep Through Two Barns at Stockyards, Causing Estimated Loss of \$36,000.

About 375 mules were driven to safety when fire swept through two mule barns at the National Stockyards in East St. Louis this afternoon, causing a damage estimated at \$36,000.

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Atwill's Wife Denied Alimony.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Application of Mrs. Elsie M. Atwill for \$7500 alimony and \$200 weekly alimony from Lionel Atwill, actor, pending trial of the divorce suit brought against her was denied today by Supreme Court Justice Fisher. Atwill instituted the proceedings last November after his wife had sailed for Europe with Max Montrose, also an actor, who was named co-defendant.

American Legion for World Court.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 15.—The Philadelphia convention of the American Legion this year will be held Oct. 11 to 15, the National Executive Committee decided today. The committee approved a resolution "advocating the immediate entrance of the United States into a World Court."

MRS. STILLMAN DENIES INDIAN FRIEND'S CLAIM

Alleges Letters He Sold Banker Were Forgeries—Case Postponed.

By the Associated Press.

THREE RIVERS, Quebec, Jan. 15.—A motion to postpone the case of Fred Beauvais against Mrs. Anne Potter Stillman was granted in Superior Court yesterday by Justice Dugas. Beauvais, an Indian guide, who was cited in the unsuccessful divorce suit of Mrs. Stillman's husband, is seeking \$1000 for alleged services in connection with the collection of evidence to rebut the claims made in that suit by Stillman.

Defense counsel argued as one reason for postponement that negotiations were under way for a settlement. Counsel for Beauvais objected to postponement.

Mrs. Stillman's reply to Beauvais suit denies she owes the plaintiff any money. She asserts that the Indian, instead of helping her defense in the divorce suit, was disloyal and damaged her interests by selling for \$15,000 letters which Beauvais claimed she had written him. These letters, Mrs. Stillman says, were forgeries.

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Atwill's Wife Denied Alimony.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Application of Mrs. Elsie M. Atwill for \$7500 alimony and \$200 weekly alimony from Lionel Atwill, actor, pending trial of the divorce suit brought against her was denied today by Supreme Court Justice Fisher. Atwill instituted the proceedings last November after his wife had sailed for Europe with Max Montrose, also an actor, who was named co-defendant.

American Legion for World Court.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., Jan. 15.—The Philadelphia convention of the American Legion this year will be held Oct. 11 to 15, the National Executive Committee decided today. The committee approved a resolution "advocating the immediate entrance of the United States into a World Court."

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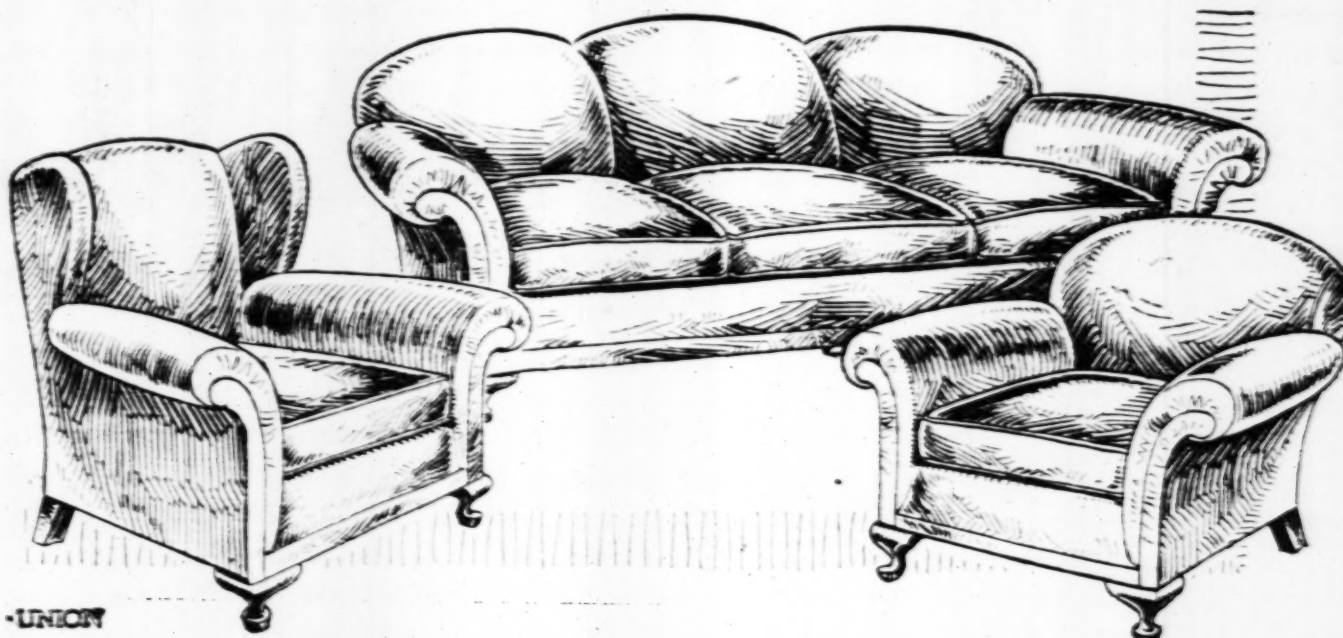
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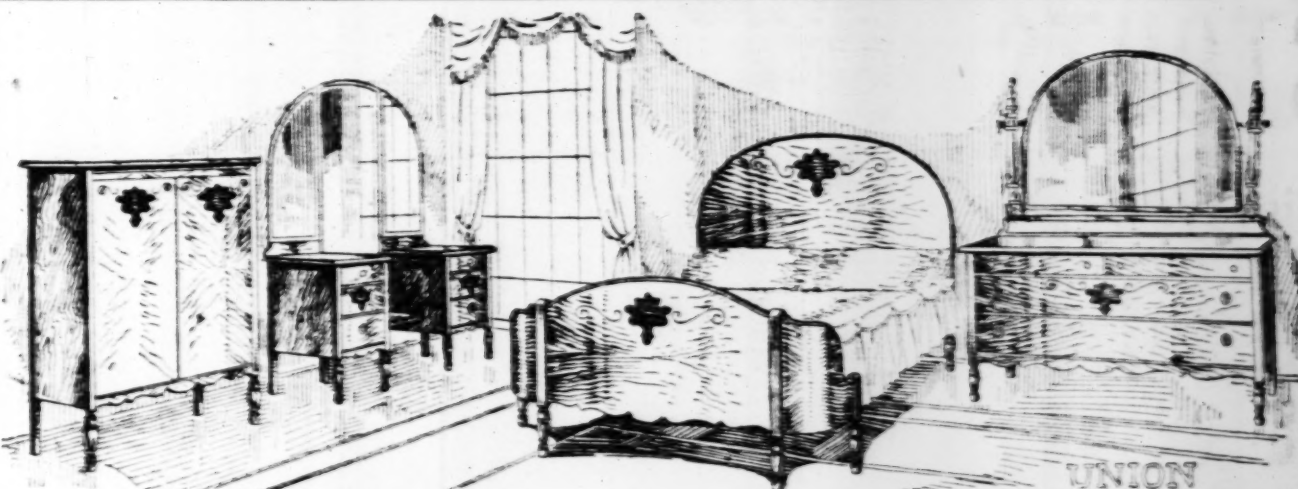
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The "Tudorian" \$335 French Walnut Bedroom Suites

Four Pieces—Priced Complete at the Union for

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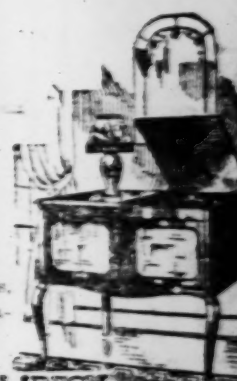
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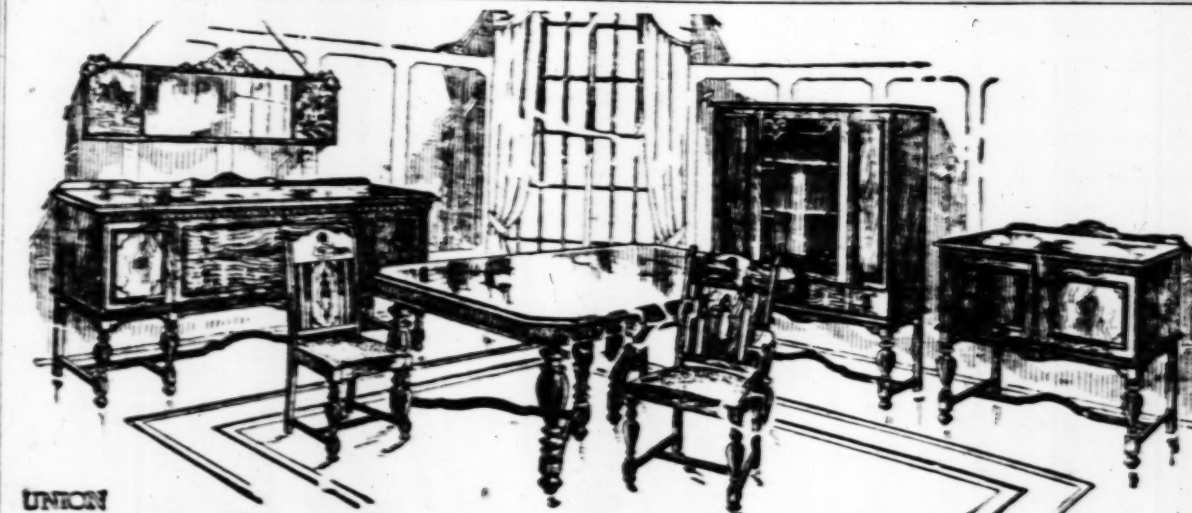


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MASSIVE 10-piece Suites in the latest Huguenot walnut finish. The entire Suite has mahogany interiors, beautiful gold vein line, and the drawers are dustproof. Each Suite consists of 66-inch buffet, china cabinet, serving table, 6-foot extension table and six chairs, one a host chair, with tapestry seats.



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2000 fine, stylish Overcoats slaughtered. HART SCHAFFNER & MARX fine, used, as-good-as-new Overcoats.

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Not Called for

SUITS

\$10.75

Big Stock—Just Received
Boys' Suits, \$1.95 and Up
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WASHINGTON'S "SMALL BEER"

RECIPE FOUND IN LIBRARY

Written in 17-Page Memorandum in 1757 When General Was Raising Virginia Regiments.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The controversy occasioned by the speech at Washington of Rupert Hughes, novelist and author, in which he said that George Washington drank liquor, danced and swore, brought forth today a recipe for "small beer," which Washington wrote in 1757. The formula is now in the New York Public Library, but was only identified as his work five years ago. The recipe is in a 17-page memorandum book and was written when Washington was raising two Virginia regiments in the list of the intercolonial wars with the French.

Further evidence concerning the habits of the first President, also is given in a letter to his nephew, William Augustine Washington, written Feb. 27, 1787. This letter gives his recipe for making whisky and tells what cereals he favored. However, Washington did not countenance drinking among his employees. In a letter to one of them, he wrote: "The strictest way to avoid evil is first to refrain from drink which is the source of all evil and the ruin of half the workmen in the country—and next to avoid bad company, which is the bane of good morals, economy and industry."

TWO-THIRDS OF BONDED LIQUOR IN U. S. IN KENTUCKY
16,000,000 Gallons Stored in 16 Warehouses; 3,000,000 Gallons Withdrawn in 15 Months.

By the Associated Press.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., Jan. 15.—Within the State boundaries are stored approximately 16,000,000 gallons of bonded whisky. This represents about two-thirds of the bonded whisky in the United States, revenue authorities here say.

This whisky is stored in 16 warehouses, formerly the property of distillers. Of this number, eight are located in Louisville, one of which contains more whisky than any other warehouse in America. Each of them is guarded with three sets of watchmen, who receive from \$100 to \$125 a month. At night powerful searchlights illuminate the buildings and grounds.

The whisky, however, pays for its own guarding, as the Government gets \$2.20 for each gallon removed from storage. In the last 15 months more than 3,000,000 gallons have been removed from Kentucky warehouses for medicinal and manufacturing purposes.

Evaporation plays a large part in helping to reduce the supply. It is estimated that one-third of the whisky, which is in barrels, evaporates in a year's time. To remedy this, much of it is being bottled, which prevents evaporation.

JUDGE BIDS MAN KISS THE FLAG AFTER DISLOYAL REMARK

Sergeant, Berated for Wearing Army Uniform, Swings With Right Foreigner Takes the Count.

Victor Saff, railroad laborer of Hungarian birth, kissed the American flag in Police Judge Rose's Court today and thus escaped punishment for his remarks to a recruiting sergeant.

He had stopped Recruiting Sergeant Edward Gunter at Eighteenth and Market streets, yesterday, and berated him for being a soldier. "You fellows should have more sense," he told the sergeant. "After all that fighting over there, you're damn fools for wearing a uniform."

Sergeant Gunter swung with his right and Saff took the count. A passing policeman took him to the holdover, on a peace disturbance charge. He made no cross-charge.

"Did the sergeant give you that distinguished service mark?" inquired the judge, pointing to a button on Saff's coat. "Yes," questioned developed he had taken first papers and apparently had no radical ideas about Government. Judge Rose can bid him kiss the American flag which hangs behind the bench.

Saff obeyed willingly. "Now get out of here," said the judge.

'VICTOR MILLER BOULEVARD' PLAN IS VETOED BY MAYOR

Service Board Withholds Approval On Receipt of Word From Office of Executive.

There will be no "Victor Miller boulevard" in Kingshighway Hills, a sub-division lying west of Kingshighway and south of Arsenal street, projected by Cyrus Crane Willmore, real estate operator.

Today, Willmore presented the plan of streets and sewers in the sub-division to the Board of Public Service for approval. The members noted one of the streets, as laid out, bore the Mayor's name. This prompted them to hold up the matter and summon the Mayor's secretary, W. T. Findly, who recalled that a similar suggestion had been vetoed by former Mayor Kiel during his administration. So Findly sought out Mayor Miller and returned to the board room with the announcement that the suggestion was not favored. The plan, excepting for the street name, then was approved.

Walter R. Medart Hurt When His Auto Collides With Bus.

Walter R. Medart, 55 years old, president and treasurer of The Medart Co., 3500 De Kalb street, was treated at St. John's Hospital yesterday for injuries suffered shortly before noon, when an automobile he was driving collided with a motorbus at Lindell boulevard and Lake avenue. Following treatment for contusions of the nose and elbow, Medart was removed to his home, 3406 Delmar boulevard.

BOYS, 10 AND 13, INTOXICATED

Man Under Bond on Charge of Giving Them Whisky

Robert Gottmann of Shiloh was held under bond of \$500 in each of three cases in St. Clair County Court at Belleville yesterday, following the filing of informations charging him with possession of liquor and two cases of contributing to delinquency. Gottmann's arrest followed statements by John and Leo Demetrius, 10 and 13 years old, respectively, after they appeared at school under the influence of liquor and carrying a bottle partly filled with what appeared to be whisky. The boys said they were given the liquor by Gottmann. Gottmann denied the charges.

Opera Stars on Radio Program.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—Frances Alda, soprano, Tita Ruffo, baritone; both of the Metropolitan Opera Co., and the Flonzaley Quartet, broadcast last night through six stations. The second concert in the series given by the Victor Talking Machine Co., was broadcast from WJZ, New York; KTW, Chicago; KDKA, Pittsburgh; WBZ, Springfield, Mass.; WGY, Schenectady and WRC, Washington.

ADVERTISMENT

Skinny, Scrawny, Underweight Men and Women Quickly Gain Needed Weight The New Modern Way

Gain strength also—and hollows in neck and cheeks fill out in just a few weeks.

YOUR GREAT CHANCE

Tens of thousands of thin, run-down men—yes, and women too—are getting discouraged—are giving up all hope of ever being able to take on flesh and look healthy and strong. All such people can stop worrying and start to smile and enjoy life right now for McEoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets which any druggist will tell you all about, is putting flesh on the bones of skinny folks every day.

One woman, tired, weak and dis-

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We all know that Cod Liver Oil is full of "vitalizing" flesh-producing vitamins, but many people can't take it because of its horrible smell and fishy taste and because it often upsets the stomach.

McEoy's Cod Liver Oil Compound Tablets are as easy to take as candy and if any thin person don't gain at least 5 pounds in 30 days your druggist is authorized to give you your money back—and only 60 cents for 60 tablets. Ask Wolff-Wilson Drug Store, Walgreen Drug Co., Ederie Drug Co., Johnson Bros. Co. or any druggist.

But be sure to get McEoy's, the original and genuine, and bear in mind that for thin, sickly kids they are wonderful—a very sickly child—age 9—gained 12 pounds in 7 months.

ADVERTISMENT

Blame Your Stomach For Nervousness and Sleeplessness

Your Chance to Get Better Quick With Wonderful Health Building Stomach Medicine that Johnson Bros. Drug Co., Wolff-Wilson Drug Stores, Walgreen Drug Co., Offers on Money-Back Plan.

The best druggists in the country today concede that the phenomenal sales of Dore's Mentha Pepsin during the past year are due to the fact that it is the one supremely efficient health building stomach remedy in America today.

Sleeplessness, dependency, nervousness, dizzy spells, headache, dull eyes and bad breath all come from a disordered stomach.

If your stomach is again made clean, strong and healthy so that you can digest the heartiest meal without distress all the above mentioned troubles will speedily vanish.

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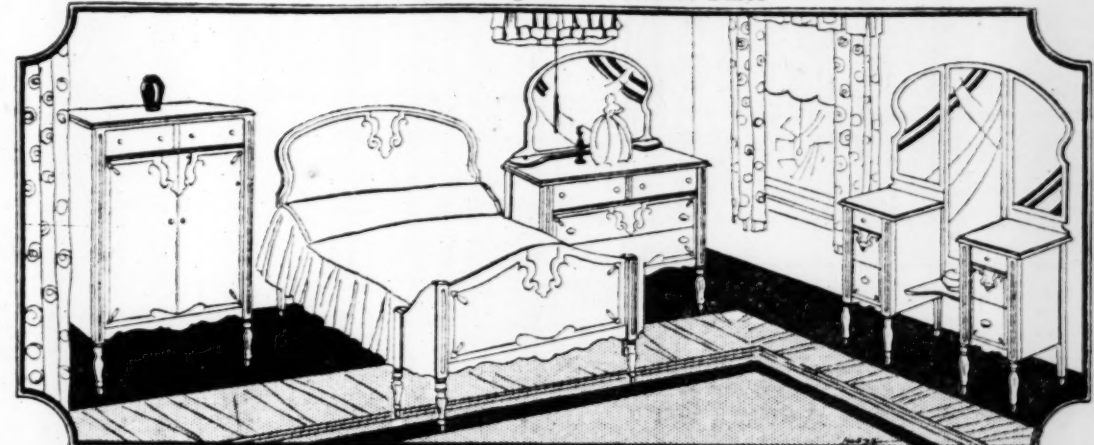
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Our first January Sale marks a new chapter in the Furniture History of St. Louis. Because of our tremendous reductions, we have opened many new accounts and have made many new friends. Our bargains are moving fast, so it is advisable to make your purchases early. A deposit will hold any purchase for future delivery, if you desire.

FOUR-PIECE BEDROOM SUITE

Beautiful Huguenot Walnut Suite



Reduced! Four beautiful Bed Pieces, built of selected walnut veneer. This handsome Suite consists of Bow-End Bed, large Dresser, full-size Chiffonade and full vanity. The complete Bedroom Suite is now offered at a price almost unheard of.

\$10 Cash—Balance Easy Monthly Payments

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Special! END TABLE



An extraordinary offering in an End Table with book trough. More beautiful than illustration. Walnut finish, reduced to

\$3.95

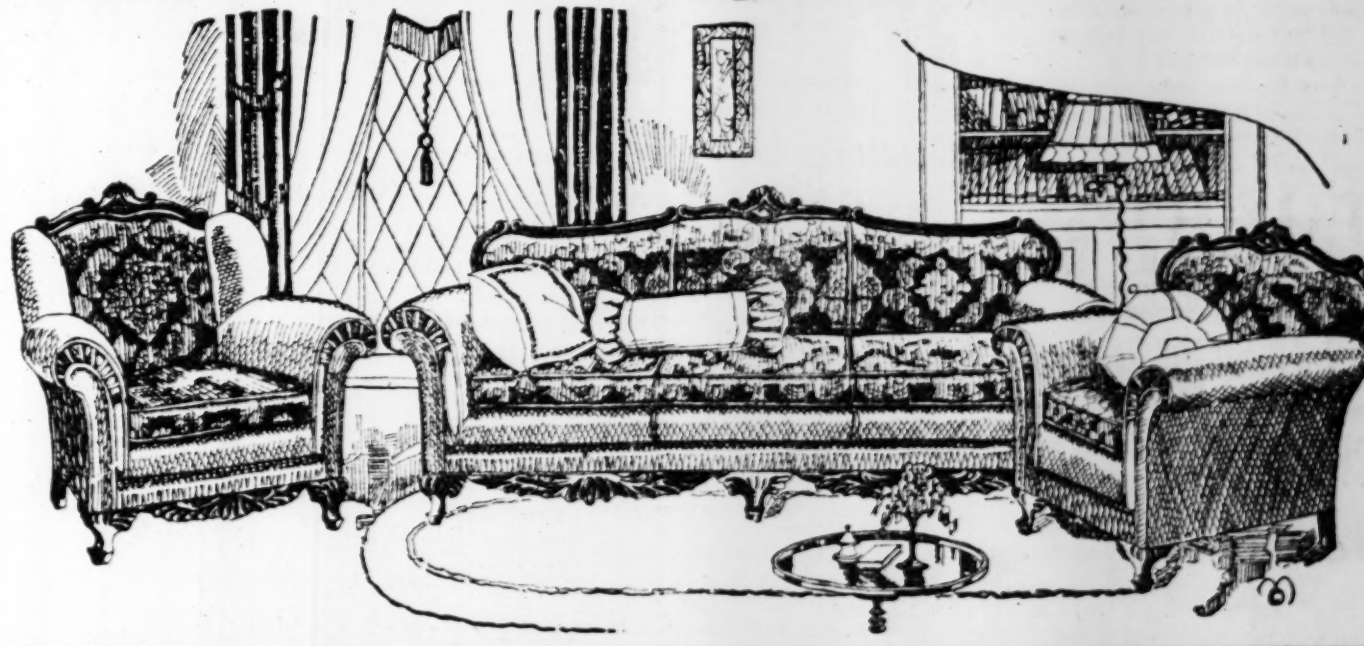
Luxurious Three-Piece Living-Room Suite

Jacquard Velour—Reversible Brocatelle Cushions

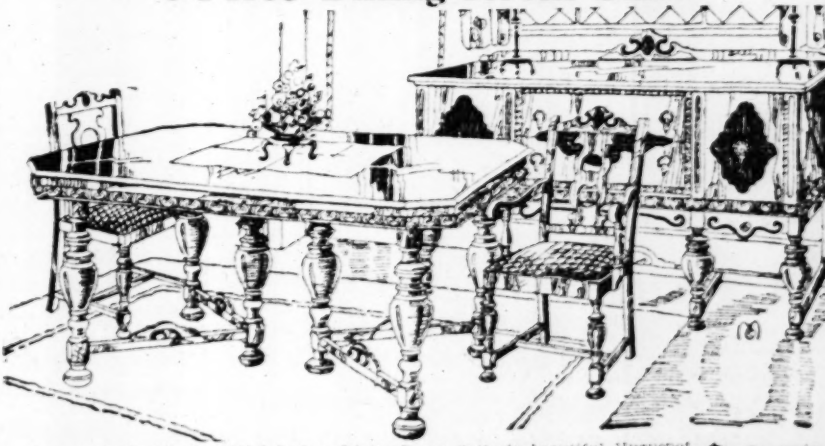
Words and this illustration fail to justly describe the beauty and value of this most beautiful Suite. Three massive pieces with handsome carved frames. Loose, reversible cushions in Brocatelle. Arms are gracefully rolled for added comfort. Fine Nachtmann spring construction throughout. Comes in old rose, blue and taupe, and old rose and various other color combinations. Greatest living-room value ever offered. Don't miss it.

\$198

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8-Piece Dining-Room Suite



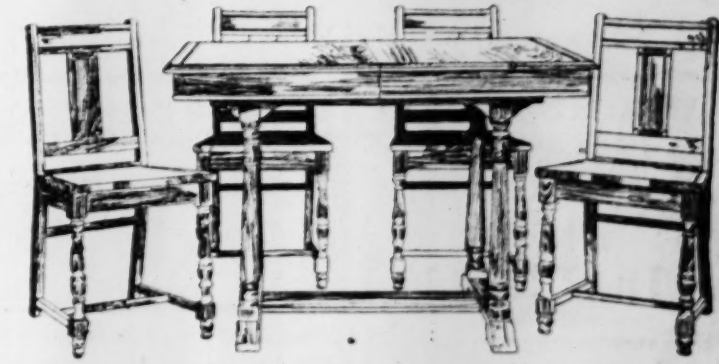
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\$65 Value Duco Breakfast Set

5-Foot Extension Table



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The Most Powerful Underselling Sale Ever Attempted Is Now On

The sale is store-wide. Every department offers unmerciful matchless reductions. As the different lots are closed out, many new cases are opened and the different items are displayed at prices unheard of before. No one, far or near, can afford to ignore such a daily feast of value-giving. Read and compare. Remember, all goods are exactly as advertised, and your absolute satisfaction guaranteed or your money refunded.

PRICES SMASHED MEN'S SHIRTS

VALUES UP TO \$1.50

75 HEAVY WOOL SOCKS 19c

Ladies' and Children's 25c and 35c Knit Gloves, pair... 5c
Men's 35c Wool Knit Gloves, black and gray, pair... 9c
Men's \$1.25 Blue Overalls, (in Basement), pair... 69c
Men's \$1.50 to \$1.75 Blue Overalls, sizes 36 to 50... 99c
Boys' \$3.50 Heavy Jersey Windbreakers... \$1.69
Men's \$3.50 and \$4-Fancy Windbreakers, Sat. only... \$1.55
Men's Wool Windbreakers, up to \$6.50; all sizes... \$3.69

Men's \$5 FANCY CHECK SHIRTS \$2.95

35c TURKISH TOWELS Large Size, 19c

MEN'S \$3.50 PANTS

Manufactured and guaranteed by the Mackfield Woolen Mills, the fabric is thoroughly secured and skunk, good-looking, hard-wearing pants; fancy dark, mixtures and stripes with two side and two back pockets, welt pockets, belt loops, etc., etc. all sizes, only one price, \$3.50. Note this matchless, unheard-of, give-away price, a pair.

Men's \$5 Pants, \$2.95
Men's \$3.50 Pants, \$2.95
Men's \$10 Pants, \$4.95

U. S. NAVY STYLE PEA COATS

Brand-new, windproof and rain-proof, heavy lined, reinforced pockets, all sizes 36 to 50 as illustrated. Special \$7.95

\$5 Blanketing Mackinaw Coats \$1.99

Coats For boys and youths; sizes to 17

MEN'S \$5 WORK COATS

Brand-new, made of good weight brown duck, heavy full blanket lining throughout body, single and double-breasted, collar stand long, hard wear, just as illustrated here. Just as illustrated here. On sale Saturday only.

Men's \$15 HEAVY OVERCOATS, NOW \$5.95
Men's \$25 to \$30 OVERCOATS \$12.95
Men's \$35 STYLISH OVERCOATS \$16.95
Men's \$27.50 to \$30 WOOL SUITS \$11.85

\$5 INDIAN BLANKETS

MEN'S \$8.50 HIGH-TOP BOOTS

14-inch, smoked elk, good wear with double laces; sizes 6 to 12. Also 12-inch Boots, brown and white elk, strap tops, mountain style, Saturday, choice a pair.

\$4.95 All Sizes

50c Wool Knit Caps, for men, women and children
Men's \$1.75 Heavy Flat Fleece Union Suits; all sizes \$1.19
Men's \$1.25 Gorduray Hunting Caps, with ear flaps 59c

75c BENJAMIN 2-WAY ELECTRIC SOCKETS

25c

\$30 DOUBLE-BARREL SHOTGUN

16.95 HAMMERLESS

Nitro Steel Barrels; 12, 16, 20, and 410 Gauges.

\$12.50 Shotguns, single barrel, made by Stevens Co., Saturday only... \$6.95
\$44.50 Stevens Repeating Shotguns, 12-gauge, Browning patent... \$29.95
\$65 Browning Automatic Shotguns, 12-gauge, Saturday only... \$52.75
\$37.75 Remington Repeating Rifle, 25-20, also 32 caliber, Saturday... \$24.75
\$8 to \$12 Leather Gun and Rifle Cases, mutton-leg style, Saturday only... \$5.98

BARNEY'S ARMY GOODS STORE

10th & Washington

\$5 English Wool Blankets \$1.99

\$10 LARGE Double Wool Blankets \$5.95

DECLARES FREE STATE ISN'T FREE OR A STATE

Peter MacSwiney, Here for Address, Predicts Comeback of Republicans.

The Free State in Ireland may fail in the general election next year, when a victory for candidates of the Irish republic is in prospect, Peter MacSwiney, brother of Terence MacSwiney, late Lord Mayor of Cork, declared in an interview here yesterday.

MacSwiney spoke at East St. Louis City Hall last night and will speak tomorrow at 2 p. m. at St. Alphonsus (Rock) Church, 1511 Grand boulevard and Clark avenue. He has resided in this country except for occasional visits to Ireland, for 15 years, and is an American citizen.

He pointed out that in the last election in Free State candidates were elected to the Dail Eireann, 48 Republicans and 13 Laborites, with a leaning toward the Republicans. The Republican party then was at low ebb, he said, because it had been pictured as the cause of disunion and secession, with the Free State as an easy way out. "Now," he remarked, "the Republicans are strongly coming back. The people have seen something of the Free State."

"The Irish Free State is neither Irish, Free, nor a State. It is not Irish because it was made in England. It is not free because every man who takes a seat in the Dail must take oath of allegiance to the King. The same magistrate, the same officials, and sub-officials, as those that were in office when the conservative Government was in power are in office now. The only difference is in the color of the government's uniform. It used to be black and tan. Now the green."

"The Free State is not even a State. The Irish State includes 32 counties. The so-called Free State includes only 26. Six in the north have been declared as a part of the United Kingdom. That boundary is the cause of the civil present trouble in Ireland."

MacSwiney represents the American Association for the Repeal of the Irish Act. He said that the association had nearly 1,000 members four years ago, fell off after establishment of the Free State, but again is growing toward its former strength. Among the 2,500 members which the association has now, he said, are many who are in the United States, and he said that the association would take legal action, for repeal of the Irish Act.

MacSwiney said the Government proposes to establish an Electricity Board for the whole country. The board is to raise its own capital under a guarantee by the Government, and will have control of the power. It will be armed with extensive powers enabling it to compel electrical interests to join into line. The present big companies, the Premier said, will be permitted to continue operating under control of the Electricity Board.

ENGLAND'S ELECTRICITY PLANS

Premier Baldwin Announces National Board Will Control Power.

By the Associated Press. LONDON, Jan. 14.—Premier Baldwin announced today in the course of a speech before a political meeting here that the Government intends to promote a great national scheme which will provide not only for the generation and distribution of electricity, but also for the control of the power. By this means, he said, the power would be furnished to the householders and industries.

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IRAK SIGNS BRITISH TREATY

By the Associated Press. BAGDAD, Jan. 13.—The treaty between Great Britain and the Kingdom of Iraq, by which the British mandate over this country is extended to a maximum of 25 years, was signed yesterday.

This is in conformity with the recent decision of the League of Nations Council in the Anglo-Turkish dispute over the territory of Mosul, which lies in the northern part of Iraq. Turkey has requested to recognize the recent decision, which confirmed as permanent the temporary boundary of Mosul as laid down at the Brussels conference.

\$150,000 Gift to Princeton. Princeton, N. J., Jan. 14.—A gift of \$150,000 toward the \$1,000,000 which Princeton must raise to receive a 12,000,000 condenser, award of the General Educational Board for advanced teaching in biological and physical sciences is announced by President John Grier Hibben at the winter meeting of the trustees. Thomas B. Jones, 76, of Chicago, the donor, specified that the income should be used for the establishment of a chair in the mathematics department.

Courtesy Salm in New Home. By the Associated Press. WEST PALM BEACH, Fla., Jan. 14.—The "Salm" Salm von Hoochstraten was residing today at "La Chosa," a palatial estate which was formerly the residence of John S. Pillsbury, Minneapolis flour manufacturer, and had a half south of her former residence at "Waikiki." A retinue of servants, private detectives and guards protected the Countess from reporters who wanted to know why she left "Waikiki" yesterday.

MRS. JANE SHELTON, 77, DIES

Survived by Husband, Retired Hat Merchant, and Two Sons.

Mrs. Jane Shelton, 77 years old, died at her home, 4487 Lindell boulevard, early yesterday of heart trouble. She had been ill about two weeks. Mrs. Shelton was the wife of Theodore Shelton, a retired hat merchant. Before her marriage she was Jane Gentry of Sedalia. Her father was Judge William Gentry.

She is survived by her husband and two sons, Gentry Shelton of New York City and Richard P. Shelton. Funeral services will be held at the Lindell boulevard residence Sunday and interment will be in Sedalia.

Teller Confirmed for Shipping Board. By the Associated Press. WASHINGTON, Jan. 14.—The nomination of Philip S. Teller of San Francisco to be a member of the Shipping Board, was confirmed yesterday by the Senate. Teller succeeds Meyer Lissner, resigned.

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\$300 3-Pc. Mohair Davenport Bed Suite \$195
\$425 3-Pc. Mohair Davenport Bed Suite \$275

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\$250 3-Piece Mahogany Living Room Suite, \$175.00
\$437.50 3-Pc. Overstuffed Damask Suite, \$218.75
\$75 Jenny Lind Walnut Poster Bed 37.50
\$95 Da-Bed With Walnut Ends 47.50
\$45 Brass Bed, massive posts and fillers, 22.50
\$95 Cedar Wardrobe, walnut finish 47.50
\$150 Mahogany "Hiboy" Colonial style 75.00
\$320 3-Piece Living Room Suite 160.00
\$83.50 Console Table and Mirror, walnut 41.75
\$170 Mahogany Square Desk 55.00
\$42.50 Jacobean Oak Gateleg Table (48-inch) 21.25
\$28 Colonial Walnut Sewing Cabinet 14.00
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\$30 6x9 Axminster Rugs, \$17.95
\$25 9x12 Seamless Brussels, \$16.50
\$12 9x12 Duralin Art Squares, all perfect \$8.95
\$4 Carpet Sweepers, very special, \$1.95
\$2 Oval Rag Rugs, 20x36 inches, \$1.25

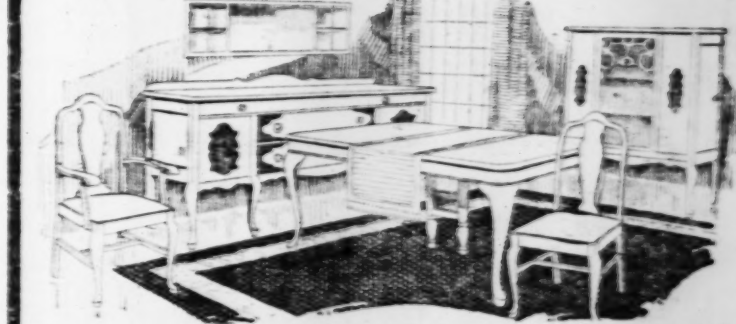
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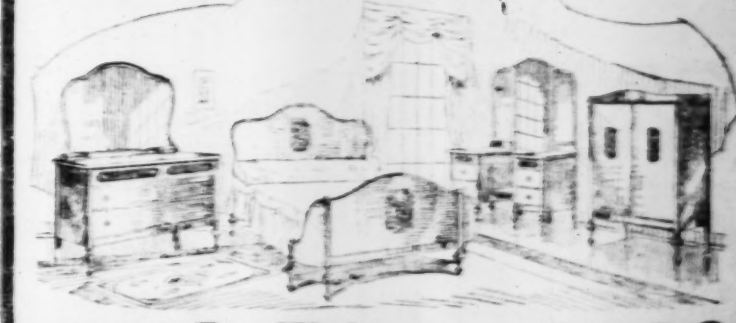


\$175 8-Pc. Queen Anne Walnut Dining Suites \$95

There are a limited number of these finely built Suites offered at \$95. They include gracefully proportioned buffet, oblong extension table, one host's chair and five side chairs with leather seats. China cabinet priced separately. This is but one example of the many low prices on quality Suites. Here are several more:

\$295 9-Piece Huguenot Walnut Suite \$237.50
\$495 10-Piece Huguenot Walnut Suite \$375
\$350 9-Piece Mahogany Dining Suite \$175
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\$195 3-Pc. Walnut Bedroom Suite \$119

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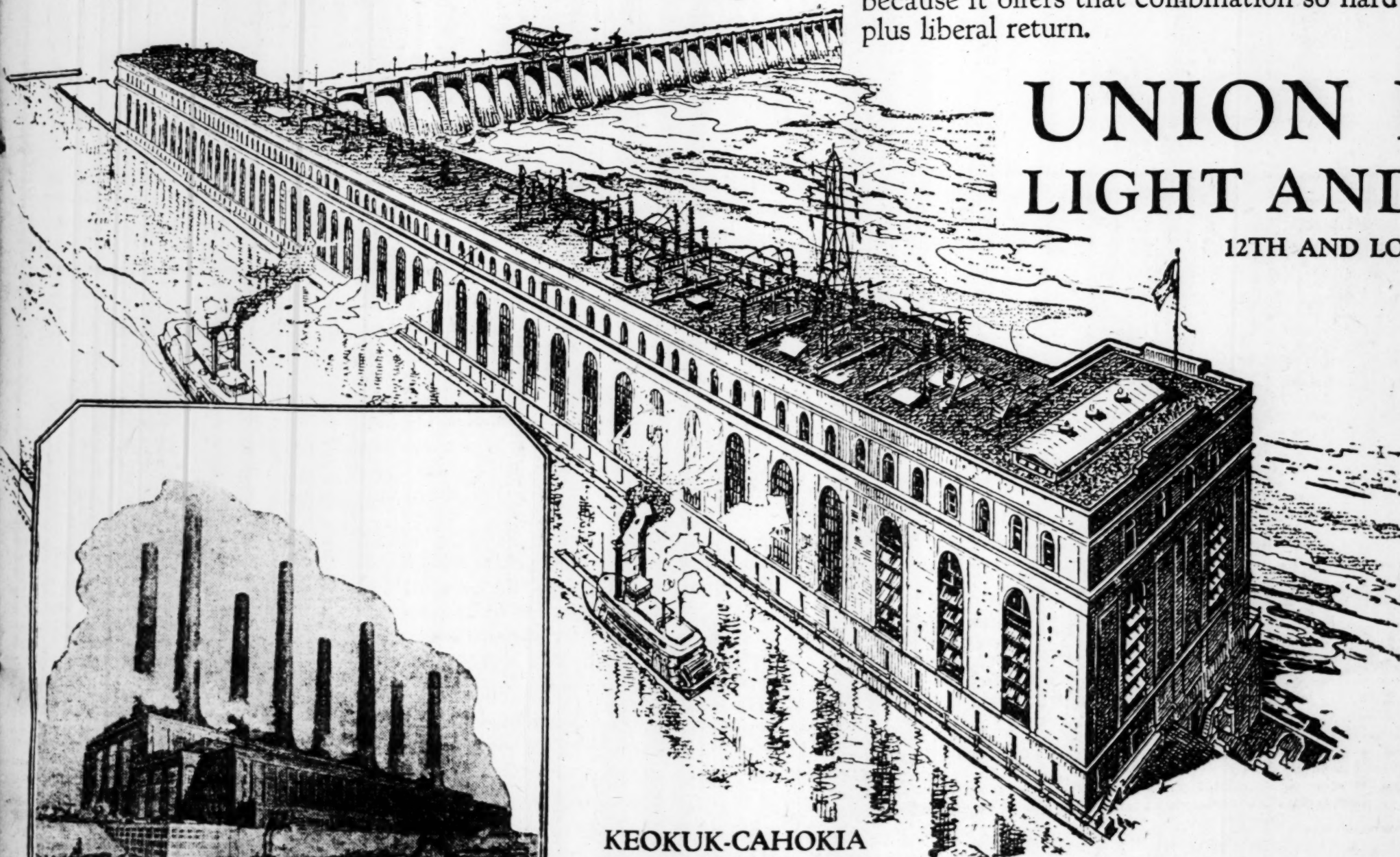
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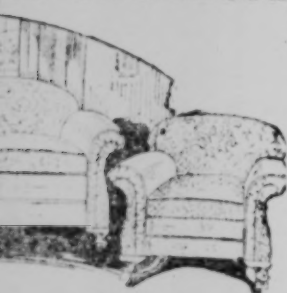
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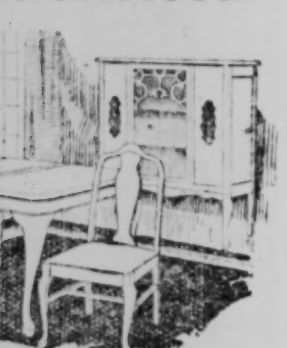


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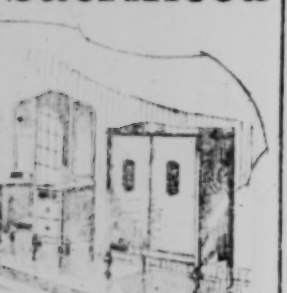


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VINCENT ASTOR BUYS ESTATE

By the Associated Press.
NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The estate of Joshua C. Astor, oil magnate, at Port Washington, L. I., where the Prince of Wales was entertained during his last visit to America and where the \$150,000 robbery of jewels belonging to Mrs. Astor and Lady Mountbatten occurred in September, 1924, has been sold to Vincent Astor. In announcing the purchase, Astor said the price was more than \$1,000,000. The estate, which comprises 11 acres of fields and wooded land, a palatial residence, several smaller houses and a nine-hole golf course, adjoins the Astor estate. It is said Astor bought the property not with a view to adding to his own home but to subdivide it for sale. In 1922 Astor acquired the William Butler Duncan estate adjoining the Astor property. Mr. and Mrs. Astor are at Palm Beach and probably will occupy their home at Newport during the summer.

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GENEVA, Jan. 15.—The Society of Geneva Citizens has extended an invitation for the holding of the Press Congress of the World, in which American Journalists are closely identified, at Geneva, in September and last night the League of Nations announced it would welcome the Congress and do everything possible to further its interests. The municipal council and local press associations also have extended a welcome.

TWENTY-FOUR MORE POLICE SERGEANTS TRANSFERRED
Six Patrolmen Retired by Board; Application List of Eligible Officers Now Exhausted.
In line with its policy of shifting police sergeants and patrolmen at stated intervals, as a step to promote efficiency, the Police Board this afternoon will authorize the transfer of 24 uniformed sergeants to different districts thus repeating its action of last Friday, when 24 sergeants were transferred.
Transfers every six months is the policy of the board, which, since taking office a year ago, has twice transferred every policeman from precinct to precinct or beat to beat. "The change of scenery does them good, in the opinion of the commissioners," Chief of Police Gerk said today.
Six elderly patrolmen will be retired at today's meeting, five for physical disability and one by resignation. They are: Patrolman John Killoren, 65 years old, of 5092 Wells avenue, father of Circuit Judge Killoren, who has been in the department since 1898; Samuel Sullens, 72, 5927 A. Page boulevard, in the department since 1877; Joseph Hotfelder, 74, 2130 Fair avenue, who joined the force in 1889; Jacob Weynacht, 77, 2919 Barrett street, who became a policeman in 1878; and Jacob Maher, 74, 4030 A. Flad avenue, who entered the department in 1876, and who is resigning.

Chief Gerk announced that the application list of eligible policemen has been exhausted, and the board will welcome applicants. Applicants must be of good character from 22 to 32 years of age, at least 5 feet 6 inches height, and weighing 150 pounds or more.

Robber Misses \$50 in a Hat.
Wallace Beiser of 4133 Turner avenue, a chauffeur for the B. Nugent & Bro. Dry Goods Co., stuffed \$50 of \$100 collections in his hat late yesterday, when he was nearly finished with his deliveries. A short while later, he reported, he was held up by an armed man near 2529 West University street, and the other \$60 was taken from his pockets. He met Detectives Spies and Wedemeyer a few minutes later and reported the theft. They circled the neighborhood for an hour, but failed to find the robber.

Man Suffers From Gas Poisoning.
William S. Ross, 45 years old, an insurance collector, is at city hospital suffering from gas poisoning, resulting from the extinguishing of the flame of a gas jet in his room at 1507 Hickory street. Ross was found unconscious in bed by other roomers in the place about midnight. At the hospital today Ross said he believed the flame from a gas jet, which he had left burning, had been accidentally extinguished while he slept. His condition is serious.

Cavalryman of Civil War Dies.
PANA, Ill., Jan. 15.—James Wolfe, 95 years old, who in the Civil War was a member of the Tenth Illinois Cavalry, died yesterday at the home of his daughter, Mrs. Albert Brinkner, near Obol, northwest of Pana. One son, one daughter, 10 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren survive.

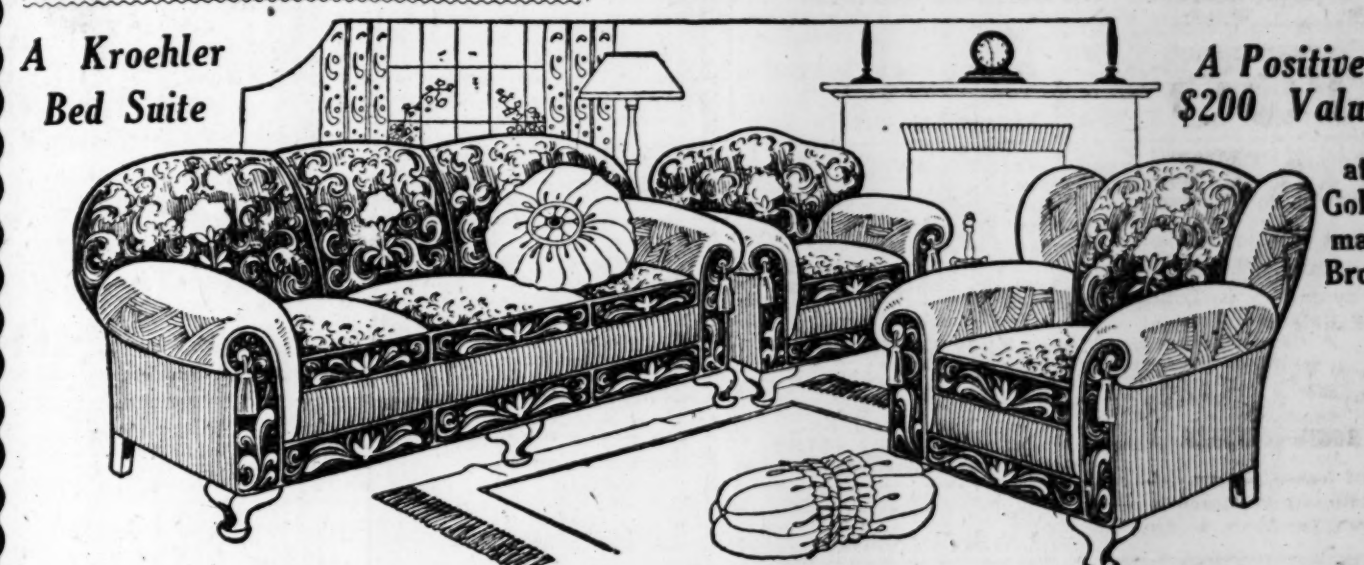
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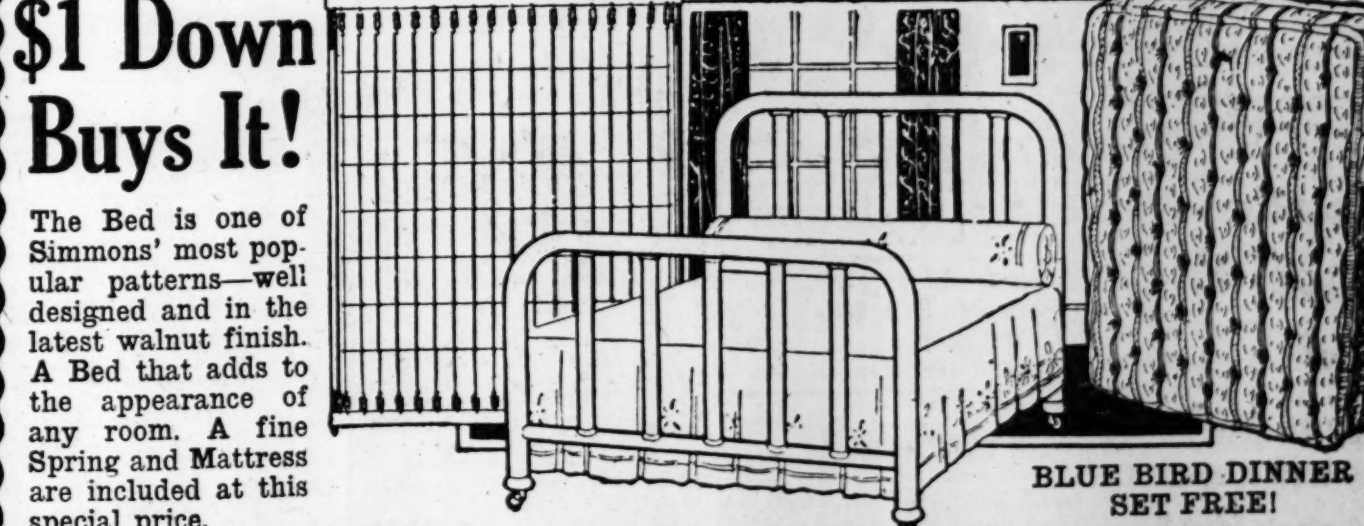
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WICKLIFFE, Ky.—The Rev. Andrew McGee, pastor of the Pentecostal Church at Bethlehem, today faces a four-year term in the State penitentiary on a bigamy charge.

He was sentenced after pleading guilty to having three wives. Wife No. 3—the former Mrs. May Samuels—was the only one in court when McGee was sentenced.

Wife No. 2 had appeared before the grand jury which indicted McGee, but returned to her home at Memphis before the hearing. Wife No. 1, who claims to have been deserted in Camp County, Tex., was not brought here for the hearing.

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FILM PROMOTER ARRESTED FOR FRAUD CONSPIRACY

Carl O. Pinckard Indicted in Texas in Connection With Affairs of Sympho Cinema, Inc.

Carl O. Pinckard, district manager of Sympho Cinema, Inc., a Texas motion picture project which postoffice inspectors say existed for the most part in the minds of its officers, was arrested here last night at his home, 4604 Washington boulevard, on a charge of conspiracy to use the mails to defraud.

An indictment embodying the charge was voted Dec. 30 last at San Antonio, Tex., against him and George F. Mings, treasurer of the picture concern. Its stock is said to have been sold in St. Louis from Pinckard's office in the Field building, Taylor avenue and Olive street.

The Talking Points.
Rights to a screen presentation of Wagner's "Parsifal," spacious land holdings "in the shadow of the mountains at Albuquerque, N. M.," and beautiful studio buildings which were transported from one place in an apparently miraculous manner as the company moved its offices, were among the talking points for stock sales, postoffice inspectors say.

Investigation revealed, the inspectors asserted, that the tract of land at Albuquerque was not even in sight of the mountains and wasn't owned by the company anyhow. The beautiful studio buildings existed only on paper, it is charged, while the screen rights to "Parsifal" were also imaginary.

Pinckard, who lives at the home of his mother, Mrs. Laura C. Pinckard, today gave \$5000 bond for his appearance at San Antonio. He was accompanied to the office of United States Commissioner Atkins by his wife and mother. He declined to discuss the case with reporters beyond saying that he had sold "many shares" of the company's stock to St. Louisans most of whom were his friends.

According to Postoffice inspectors the company was originally organized as the Sympho Cinema Syndicate, a trust estate with Mings, Marjorie A. Terry of Oakland, Cal., and John H. Harlow of Chicago as trustees.

The syndicate issued 2,000,000 shares of \$1 par value each, it is said. Later it got a charter as a Texas corporation and was empowered to issue \$5,000,000 capital stock to replace \$2,000,000 in shares of the trust.

Had Only Option on Land.
Early selling talks, according to inspectors, represented to prospective purchasers of stock that the company had a 70-acre tract of land at Albuquerque adjoining the State university. It was learned that the syndicate had only an option on the land and that had expired.

It is also charged that the company represented that a group of the buildings had been built on the ground and sent out a sketch showing the layout. Later when the offices were successively moved to San Antonio and to Sutherland Springs, Texas, it is charged, the same sketch was sent out to prospective purchasers of stock, who were told the buildings were at San Antonio, or in Sutherland Springs, as the circumstances warranted.

After a permit had been obtained to sell the stock of the corporation, known as Sympho Cinema, Inc., it was stated the company had acquired rights to the filming of "The Santa Fe Trail," "The Lincoln Spectacle" and "Green Goods."

White House for a Scene.
Detectives who took Pinckard to City Jail quoted him as saying Mings had told prospective purchasers that the White House, President Harding's Alameda, "Ladies Boy," and celebrities would appear in "The Lincoln Spectacle."

Just before its incorporation the company was moved to San Antonio, where it was stated it had large land holdings. Finally it was moved to Sutherland Springs. It was stated the company owned 1000 acres in this vicinity, according to inspectors, who say it owned no land there.

Glowing sales letters representing this location as "a second Hollywood" and representing the holdings of the company as worth \$2,750,000, were sent out after the offices had been moved there, it is charged.

bought at \$1 each—up to midnight April 30 last, when they would be advanced to \$2.50 each. The recipients of the letter were asked to subscribe for more stock or to ask their friends to do the same. The letter was closed with "Yours for success."

Another letter, purporting to have been written by Mings in September, 1924, explained to a purchaser the necessity of incorporating in the state of Texas, in this letter it was stated that two states were willing to allow a \$5,000,000 capitalization because their representatives were sure "our assets had gone up accordingly."

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TONIGHT TEX RICKARD RANKS BOXERS IN ALL DIVISIONS; DEMPSEY NO. 1

Jim Thorpe Hears Call of Age and Quits Athletics

Famous Indian, Olympic Champion in 1912, Active in Sport World for 20 Years.

ST. PETERSBURG, Fla., Jan. 15.—Jim Thorpe, colorful Indian athlete, has heard the call of age. His announcement of retirement came yesterday after he had led the St. Petersburg Professional Football team through a scoreless battle with the Winterhaven club for which fewer than 300 paid admission.

"One must quit some time," said Thorpe last night. "My earning days in athletics are at an end, and while sports have been my livelihood, I have really played for the love of competition. Now I have a yearning to hunt and fish back with my people."

Today he is preparing to satisfy his yearning and return to his home at Yale, Ok., there amid his people to hunt and fish.

An Olympic Winner.

Thorpe, now 40, has been active in the world of sport for 20 years. Entering Carlisle Indian School in 1906, he immediately attracted attention. In 1912 he won the individual championship in the Olympic games at Stockholm, Sweden, but later was charged with professionalism and returned his medals, presented by the King of Sweden.

After the Olympic games he turned to professional sports, entering baseball as a member of the New York Giants, later being associated with teams in the American Association and the International League.

Regular at Pro Football.

Football, however, claimed Thorpe's attention each fall since he entered college. The present season he started with the New York Giants pro football team, later coming to Florida to organize a team to play "Red" Grange's team at Tampa.

Yesterday in what he said was his last game, Thorpe had two former Carlisle stars on his team, as in Carlisle days—Little Twig at end and Pete Calac at fullback. At times in the game yesterday Thorpe showed flashes of former brilliance, getting off two punts for 65 yards and an attempted 50-yard dropkick which missed the cross bar by inches.

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Phil Rosenberg, Reigning Champion, Is Assigned to Fourth Position on List.

MANDELL IS HONORED

Rocky Kansas Another Titleholder Relegated to a Subordinate Berth.

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The "complimentary" ranking of Jack Dempsey at the head of the heavyweight division and relegation of two other world's champions, Rocky Kansas and Charley (Phil) Rosenberg, to subordinate positions in their classes, feature the 1925 international boxing ranking list selected by Tex Rickard, promoter.

In a copyrighted story for the January issue of The Ring, boxing publication, he announces his world selections in each of the nine pugilistic divisions, based entirely on what was done in 1925 and "regardless of the ownership of titles."

In spite of his continued activity, Dempsey is placed at the head of his class because of lack of accomplishment by any other heavyweight sufficient to dislodge the champion. Rickard rates Harry Wills at No. 2, with Gene Tunney third and predicts that Dempsey will meet these two rivals this year in the East.

Suggs and Mandell.

Titleholders occupy the top ranking positions in all but the bantam and lightweight classes. Among the bantams, Rickard ranks Chick Suggs, negro battler of New Bedford, Mass., in first place on the basis of his excellent 1925 record, with Rosenberg, the champion, fourth.

Kansas, veteran Buffalo Italian who dethroned Jimmy Goodrich from the lightweight throne, is ranked No. 2 in his division, in which Sammy Mandell of Rockford, Ill., is accorded first place.

Rickard's list, with the first five boxers in their selected order in each class follows:

Heavyweights—Jack Dempsey of Los Angeles, Harry Wills of New York, Gene Tunney of New York, Bud Gorman of Kenosha, Wis.; Jack Renault of Montreal.

Light Heavyweights—Paul Bernbach of New York, Jack DeGennaro of New York, Young Stripling of Macon, Ga., Eddie Hoffman of Los Angeles.

Middleweights—Harry Greb, of Pittsburgh, Dave Shadle of New York, Tiger Flowers of Atlanta.

Welterweights—Mickey Walker of Elizabeth, N. J., Tommy Milligan of Scotland, Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh, Joe Dundee of Baltimore, Georgie Ward of Elizabeth, N. J.

Lightweights—Sammy Mandell of Rockford, Ill., Sid Terris of New York, Rocky Kansas of Buffalo, Jimmy Goodrich of Buffalo, Solly Seeman of New York.

Junior Lightweights—Tod Morgan of Seattle, Joe Glick of New York, Mike Dundee of Rock Island, Ill.; Honeyboy Finnegan of Boston, Johnny Drew of Worcester, Mass.

Fatherweights—Louis (Kid) Kaplan of Meriden, Conn.; Babe Herman of New York, Jimmy McLaren of Los Angeles, Bobby Garcia of New York, Md.; Benny Bass of Philadelphia.

Bantamweights—Chick Suggs of New Bedford, Mass.; Bussey Graham of Utica, N. Y.; Bud Taylor of Terre Haute, Ind.; Charley (Phil) Rosenberg of New York, Pete Sacramento of Manila.

Flyweight—Fidel Labarba of Los Angeles, Frankie Genaro of New York, Newsboy Brown of Sioux City, Ia.; Izzy Schwartz of New York, Al Brown of Panama.

Concordia Meets Chillicothe Five

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Coach Fenenga will use the same lineup as the one he employed in defeating Cape Girardeau in the team's last battle.

The Concordia Freshmen oppose a junior five in a preliminary.

Florida Football May Be a Failure, But Not for Nevers

By the Associated Press.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., Jan. 15.—RNE NEVERS, Leland Stanford's All-American fullback, left here yesterday for California. He left negotiations for further games under the jurisdiction of Jacksonville business men and for a tour of the Pacific Coast with the New York Giants still pending.

He took with him \$25,000, the guarantee he received before coming here to play professional football. His contract with the Jacksonville promoters called for five games, two of which have been played.

Leo Lomski of San Francisco, Joe Gans of Allentown, Pa., Walterweights—Mickey Walker of Elizabeth, N. J., Tommy Milligan of Scotland, Jack Zivic of Pittsburgh, Joe Dundee of Baltimore, Georgie Ward of Elizabeth, N. J.

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ELLIS WAS FIRST HERO MY 30 YEARS IN FOOTBALL

By Fielding H. Yost

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These men, and countless others, have nursed their muses on the fiber of the game, and their writing has grown strong and conspicuous through their contact with it. Football has done much for American literature, directly and indirectly, for the reason that it is a game which excites the imagination, stirs the emotions and generates enthusiasm. That is why football players are so successful after they leave college.

Ellis First to Run.

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Espinosa Leads After First Round Of Texas Tourney

San Francisco Pro Turns In a 68 — MacSmith and Cruickshank Shoot 69.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, Jan. 15.—Abe Espinosa, San Francisco pro, led the first round of the Texas Open Golf Championship this afternoon when he turned in a 68 for 18 holes, topping by one stroke the 34-45—69 made by Macdonald Smith, Western Open Champion, and Bobby Cruickshank, Chicago pro.

Espinosa was the last of the big favorites to finish his morning round. The Pacific Coast star took a 33 on the first nine, being three under par and came home in 35, one under par for his total.

INTERNATIONAL LIFE FIVE TO PLAY ARGUS

The International Life basketball five will play the Argus Bulldogs tomorrow night at 8:20 o'clock in the Pine Street Y. W. C. A. gym.

Tom Brown's School Days.

"Old Brooke won the toss with his lucky half-penny and got the choice of goals and kickoff. But now look, there is a slight forward of the School Housewings, a shout, "Are you ready?" and a loud affirmative cry—away goes the ball spinning towards the goal, 70 yards before it touches the ground. The School House cheer and rush on—then follows rush upon rush and scrum upon scrum, a scuffle, a scuffle, a scuffle, in a School House match will be no joke in the consciousness of Plancus. Three-quarters of an hour are gone, first winds are failing and weight begins to tell—they strain every nerve to catch Young Brooke who has the ball, but they are after the flocks. Call Crab Jones. There they go straight for the goal posts.

Young Brooke is down! No! A long stagger but the danger is past. The school leaders are furious. They may well be for it is Lombard street to a china orange—(note the touch of modern slang)—that the school house kick a goal with the ball touched in such a good place. Old Brooke of course will kick it but who shall catch and place it? Call Crab Jones. Here he comes, the coolest fish (note again the slang) in Rugby—Crab strikes his heel in the ground to mark the spot where the ball is caught—take plenty of room. Place it true and steady. "Crab Jones for that. He is resting on one knee—Now! Crab places the ball at the word. The school rush forward old Brooke kicks. A moment's pause and both sides look at the spinning ball. It flies straight between the posts, five feet above the cross bar. A shout of joy rings out from the school house players—up and a faint echo of it comes over the close from the goal keepers. A goal in the first hour! Such a thing hasn't been done in the school house match these five years!"

And now— isn't that a story and a game to quicken the pulse; "Tom Brown's School Days" has lived for a hundred years. There is much in this country's football literature which will live long and robustly; and the authors of it, mostly young and enthusiastic newspaper men, will also contribute literature of a more diversified nature. Show me a man who can write a brilliant football news report, and I will show you a man who will in time write rings around bibliomaniacs who have never known the thrill of the game or have been moved by its stirring appeals.

The "He-Man" of modern fiction—so much ridiculed—is not the creation of a football player or writer. I vow, for there never was a football player or writer who would endure the odium of being such a palpably false person.

Boxing Official Opposed to Bout

California Commissioner Ascertains Dempsey-Wills Purse Is Out of Line.

By the Associated Press.

SACRAMENTO, Cal., Jan. 15.—Jack Dempsey and Harry Wills will never meet in California for any guarantee purse that resembles the foreign war debt, if Boxing Commissioner William H. Hanlon of Sacramento, has his way. The Sacramento Bee yesterday printed a statement from Hanlon in which he bitterly attacked the consideration of such a match in California involving a purse of \$750,000 such as is being mentioned by Los Angeles promoters.

In part, Hanlon is quoted as follows: "Dempsey and Wills might meet in California but it will never be by my vote of approval and I will carry a fight to the commission to prevent it in this State. It is utterly absurd to consider paying such amounts as boxers of their class are demanding and if other States wish to entertain the idea, it is entirely up to them, but count California out."

Lewis Rolls Munn.

By the Associated Press.

DENVER, Colo., Jan. 15.—Ed (Strangler) Lewis last night threw Wayne (Big) Munn, two falls out of three.

JOCKEY CLUB NAMES STEWARDS FOR YEAR

By the Associated Press.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—The Jockey Club, at its annual meeting yesterday, re-elected Frank H. Hitchcock, Joseph E. Widener and A. G. Morris, stewards for three years and tabled a petition from trainers to adopt in this State the claiming rule used in Kentucky.

The New York claiming rule, which permits any turfman to purchase horses in claiming races, resulted in so many sales last year that the Kentucky plan of limiting the buying field to owners of entries was advocated. Collision among horsemen was seen as a possibility of adopting the advocated change in this State, although the club also laid on table a motion to retain the present system.

Grange Sued Again.

By the Associated Press.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., Jan. 15.—Harold "Red" Grange, football star, his manager, Charles C. Pyle, and four others were named defendants in a \$50,000 damage suit filed in Superior Court here yesterday by George Lazo. The plaintiff charges breach of contract in arranging a football game in Los Angeles.

The action is based on an agreement which Lazo said he made with Pyle last November by telegraph and later confirmed when Pyle came west. Now, he contends, Grange has entered into another contract under which the game Saturday will be played.

Miss Wills Abroad.

By the Associated Press.

HAVRE, France, Jan. 15.—Miss Helen Wills, American woman lawn tennis champion, arrived here today on the liner De Grasse, which was delayed 24 hours by rough weather. Miss Wills suffered intensely from seasickness. She intends to proceed to Cannes tonight, stopping off only a few hours in Paris.

Ferrara Wins Bout.

By the Associated Press.

BUENOS AIRES, Jan. 15.—Miguel Ferrara, an Argentine heavyweight, last night knocked out the Italian fighter, Orlando Raverberi, in the sixth round of what was to have been a 15-round bout. Ferrara formerly was a sparring partner of Luis Firpo. He accompanied Firpo to the United States, where he won five bouts.

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With the enormous increase in the number of motor driven vehicles on city streets and country highways, the subject of Careful Driving becomes more pertinent, day by day.

The Standard Oil Company (Indiana) feels that it has a duty—self-imposed it is true—to so conduct the operations of its own fleets of motor driven vehicles, as to set an example to others.

This Company also believes that the public will be interested in the result of its efforts to promote Careful Driving.

Upon this premise, it will present, during the next few weeks, a few phases of its safety efforts.

Perhaps no other organization in the Middle West has been afforded such an excellent opportunity to observe the need for Careful Driving as has this Company.

Several years ago, the Standard Oil Company (Indiana), recognizing the need for some constructive, organized effort to prevent avoidable accidents, inaugurated its Safety First Division. The results have been more than gratifying.

To instill caution by legislation is difficult, and while definite orders, as to care in handling the Company's business, have been issued, it is our experience that the greatest good has come from those suggestions, sent out from time to time, which appeal to the sound judgment and unwavering loyalty of the men handling Company equipment.

In support of this contention, we point out that for the year 1924, Standard Oil Company (Indiana) motor driven vehicles crossed railroad tracks thirty one million times without an accident.

The Management of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) pointed out to its drivers the dangers and the lack of consideration for others in careless driving. It furnished a placard reading:

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Each driver was asked to pledge himself to co-operate and to evidence his good intentions by displaying this placard on the rear of his machine.

That such a remarkable result was achieved, as if by common consent, is a deserved tribute to the spirit prevailing throughout the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) organization of 28,059 men and women.

It is this spirit which has enabled the Management of the Standard Oil Company (Indiana) to render such an essential service, in such a constructive way, as to have gained for the Company, the confidence, respect and esteem of the thirty million people of the Middle West.

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LOANS ON PERSONAL PROPERTY

MUST SERVE OUT COURT COSTS

Ruling of Attorney-General Henry in Case of Liquor Prisoner.

Special to the Post-Dispatch.

JEFFERSON CITY, Jan. 15.—A prisoner serving a jail sentence for violating the State prohibition law must also serve out the court costs in his case, if they are not paid, Attorney-General N. T. Geary held.

In an opinion rendered today by the

Attorney-General of Ripley County.

In the case submitted to the

Attorney-General, the prisoner had been sentenced to 30 days in jail on a prohibition charge. Requiring him to serve out the unpaid court costs would increase the time to 50 days. The Attorney-General held he must serve the 50 days.

CASE IN COURT SINCE 1832 FINALLY SETTLED

Two Distant Relatives of New Yorker Who Died 127 Years Ago Get \$2400.

By Leased Wire From the New York Bureau of the Post-Dispatch.

NEW YORK, Jan. 15.—A decision by Supreme Court Justice Levy in the case of Engelhardt vs. Elmsasser has closed the final chapter in the distribution of an estate that has been before the New York courts since 1822.

Justice Levy Wednesday approved the findings of Referee William Pollard, giving to two elderly Germans, Mrs. Theresa Schuetz of Baltimore, Md., now 79, and Emanuel Reas of Munich, a little more than \$1200 each. They have proved to be remote descendants and nearest of kin of Emanuel Myers, who died in New York in 1799.

When Myers died 127 years ago he left a small estate, part of which was land within the then city limits. The location has become lost in the succeeding years and does not figure in the report. Myers left a widow, Judith, and four sisters. Each sister received a portion of the estate, the residue going to Mrs. Myers for life, under the will proved soon after Myers died.

Mrs. Myers died in 1832 and suit was brought in the old Court of Chancery for a partition of the real estate among the claimants under the will, the children of the four sisters.

Stephen Cambrelling, once well known here, was made Master in Chancery to handle the matter. He went into the genealogy of the Myers family in reaching a conclusion as to the number of heirs. He died his report in 1844 and the next year a sale was ordered and Cambrelling instructed to distribute the shares. This was done but the files of 1845 to 1847 show that several shares were not claimed.

Four heirs received \$1500 each, leaving a balance of \$577 not claimed. The New York Life Insurance and Trust Co. was made depository of this small fund.

In 1879, this company turned over to the City Chamberlain the sum of \$1354, the original \$577 and accrued interest. In 1905 the fund had grown to \$2029, and was then turned over to the State Treasurer to avoid the accumulation of additional interest. In 1911 the Chamberlain ran across an account belonging to the estate amounting to \$1048, which he turned over to the State Treasurer, making the total amount \$3077, a remainder of the old estate.

The matter was brought to the attention of Bernard Cowen, an attorney, by persons who believed they knew on whom the fund should go. A commission then was sent to Germany to take depositions. Assistant Attorney-General Robert P. Byer went with it, the result being the locating of Mrs. Schuetz and Reas, who finally have been given the last of the Myers estate.

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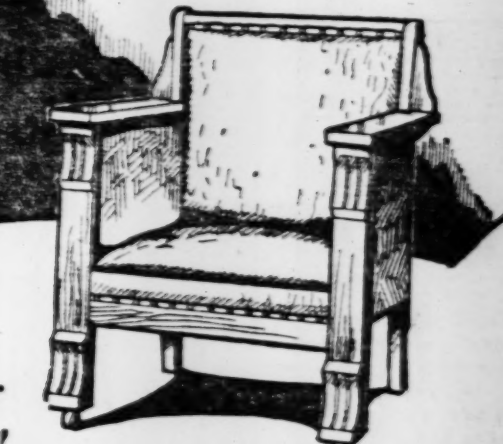
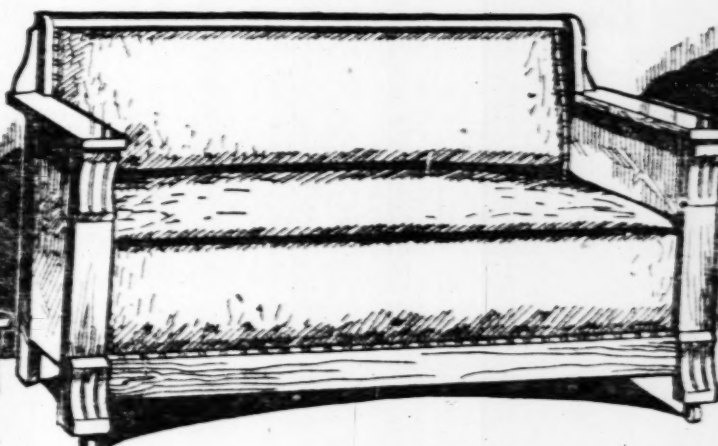
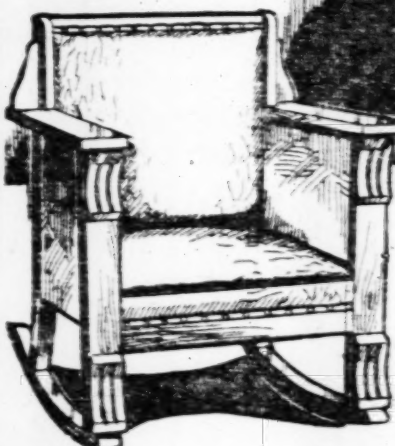
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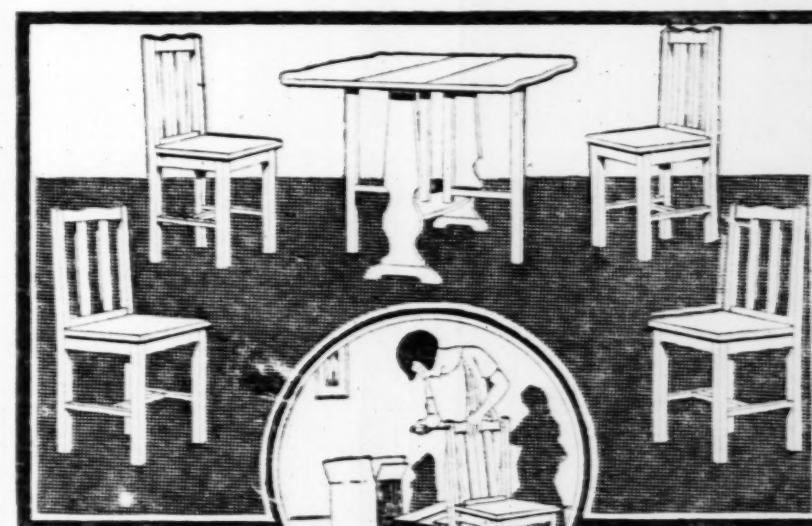


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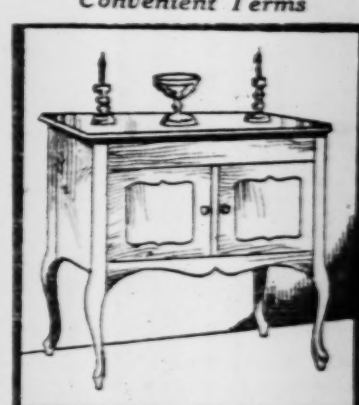
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HIRED GIRL LEAVES \$15,000 TO FARMER

Ten years ago James Parkhurst, a wealthy farmer of Amboy, Ill., advertised for a city girl to go to his farm and assist him and Aunt Louisa in the chores and be a companion to the aged couple, for which, as a reward, she was to be left \$10,000 in his will. Mary Brackus answered the ad and, supposedly penniless, went to the Parkhurst home. Aunt Louisa died and Mary continued to minister to the wants of Uncle Jimmy, now 85 years old. In December, Mary died at the age of 34. Her will was filed, and it was found that instead of being penniless, she had an estate valued at \$20,000. Of this she willed Uncle Jimmy \$15,000 and her mother in Jugo-Slavia the other \$5000.

CONGRESS



Representative Arthur M. for a sleigh ride. On the age twins. The odd men

UNIQUE CROSS-COUNTRY TRIP



William A. Blomberg of Minneapolis stopped in Chicago to give his huskies a rest en route from his home city to New York. He expects his dogs to haul him all the way on his especially constructed wagon.

THE ROOSEVELT OF CHINA



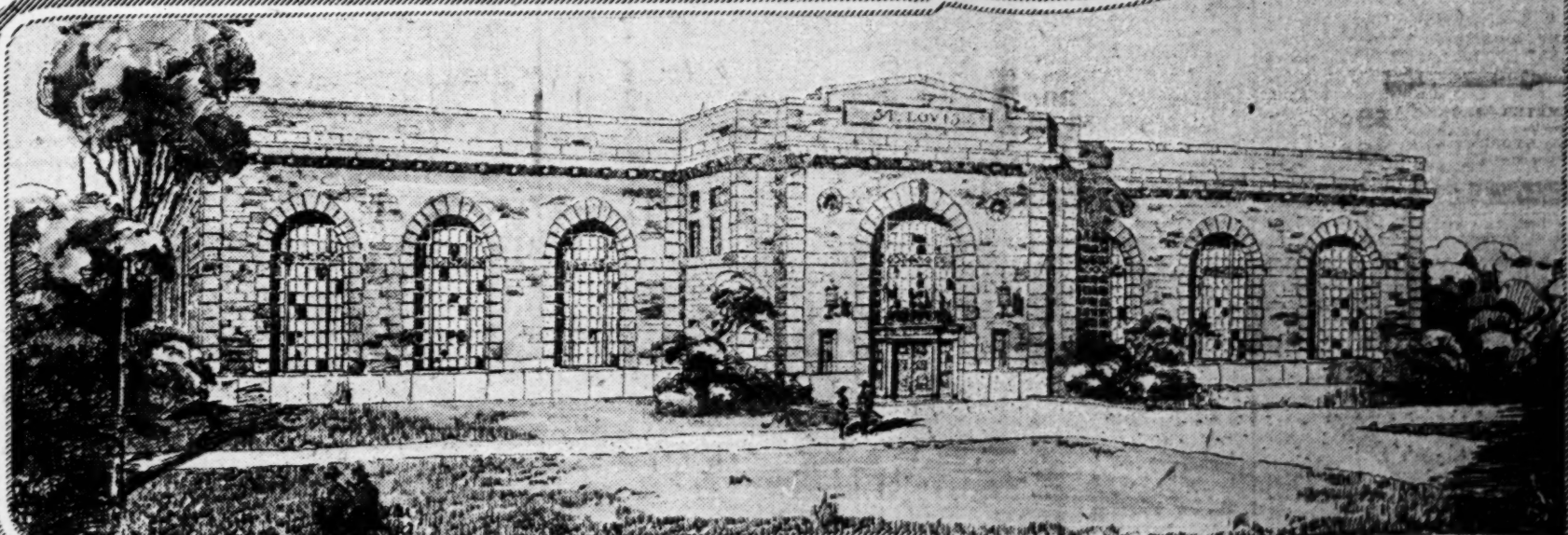
Dr. Tehyi Hsieh is director of the China Trade Bureau to the United States. He is now in America making a study of industry, politics and education. He is known as "the Roosevelt of China."

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NEW WATERWORKS BUILDING



This high-pressure pumping house has been designed for the new Missouri River waterworks the city is constructing under a \$12,000,000 bond issue item. Study & Farrar are the architects. Other buildings there will follow this style.

A GERMAN BEAUTY



Xenia Desni, said to be the most beautiful woman on the Berlin stage. She has dark blue eyes on which she is said to carry a \$75,000 insurance policy.

CONGRESSMAN FATHER OF TWO SETS OF TWINS



Representative Arthur M. Free of California is the father of two sets of twins. He is shown taking his family for a sleigh ride. On the sled are: Robert and Herbert, 9 years old, and Geraldine and Gerald, 15 years old, who are twins. The odd member of the family, shown pushing the sled, is Lloyd, 17 years old.

MEXICAN FOREIGN MINISTER



Foreign Minister Saenz of Mexico, who is representing his government in the controversy with the United States over recent legislation affecting the rights of American property owners in his country.

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CHAPTER XX. DRAWBACKS OF BOHEMIA.

IN the course of the next fortnight Nan met that Mme. Polinska appeared in several new costumes. They were all extremely smart from hat to shoes, gloves to parasol.

She judged that the delayed quarterly allowance from Russia must have arrived, but she had a startling awakening at the end of the month, when her bill from Stern's came in.

Every item of Mme. Polinska's new wardrobe was charged to her account.

They were at breakfast when the mail, containing the staggering statement, was brought in by a servant. Mme. Polinska looked up from behind the coffee service as Nan opened the letter bearing Stern's letterhead, and remarked casually:

"You were kind enough to give me carte blanche at your excellent shop, my dear, and I'm afraid I took shocking advantage of your generosity. But I really needed some new gowns badly—you know how it is when one goes about as much as I do. My allowance should arrive any day now, and I'll give you a cheque immediately."

Nan was forced to murmur that it was quite all right, but a little, troubled frown appeared between her brows. She had paid Mme. Polinska her share of the household expenses the last time, and the amount had far exceeded her expectations. The maintenance of her own apartment had been a mere pittance compared to it.

But she told herself that she had far more charming and pleasant accommodations in the Russian woman's big home during the intolerably hot weather. Besides, she had plenty of money to spend, thanks to Larrabee's generous allowance. Only, she determined never to exceed it and to allow herself a good margin for emergencies, for she would rather have starved than sacrifice her pride to the extent of asking her husband for more.

One didn't ask for one's freedom and prize of one's ability to look after oneself and then come admitting failure and asking help. She had several other bills in her morning mail, which she herself had incurred for the purchase at the florist's, a lingerie shop, a book store and an expensive confederator. There was also a statement for repairs from the garage where she had formerly kept her car.

Mme. Polinska had insisted that she must learn to drive to relieve Nan of the perpetual chauffeur duty and the result had been disastrous.

When she went to Brandon's studio that afternoon for her lesson, she was feeling depressed and thoughtful.

"What's the matter?" he demanded, looking at her keenly. "Feeling a bit low—or just the artistic temperament?"

"Nothing," she denied lightly. "Just a trifle tired I guess. The heat is terrific, isn't it?"

"What do you say to a little drive in the country after the lesson?" he suggested.

It was the first time he had made any overture toward a tête-à-tête. Their acquaintance had continued strictly along the lines of teacher and pupil and their social contacts had been confined solely to musical evenings in his studio to which all and sundry of his pupils were bidden. Because of Mona Vail, Nan had not even asked him to the Sunday evening suppers which she had given in her own apartment before going to live with Madame Polinska.

Now, also because of Mrs. Vail, she declined his offer of a drive.

He shrugged at her refusal and didn't urge the point, but a frown gathered between his brows and he finished the lesson, briefly and rather coldly. When she left, he ushered her out as formally as he had done after her first lesson, making her his deepest bow. His eyes were stony.

She met Mona Vail in the hall and, when she received the latter's curt nod, she was thankful that she had not accepted Brandon's invitation. She had no mind to make an open enemy of his fiancée.

At the top of the stairs, Brandon called to her from the open door of his studio:

"I have a new picture under way which I'd like to show you. Won't you come in and have a little tea?"

She went reluctantly, mindful of what Brandon had told her about the artist's amiable tea.

"I'll be glad to see the picture. But please don't trouble about tea—it's too hot to drink it this afternoon."

"Ah, but we'll have it iced—provided I can locate a piece," he assured her, beaming at her shyly through his thick lenses. Just excuse me a minute."

When he returned, he bore in his hands badly soiled with paint, a small chunk of ice.

"Stole it from Brandon," he chuckled and looked about for something with which to break it. There was no ice pick, apparently, but, nothing daunted, he removed his shoe, placed the ice on the littered studio floor, and cracked it smartly with the heel.

"Where there's a will, there's a way," he announced cheerfully, gathering up the pieces and dropping them, unwashed, into tall glasses.

Nan, fastidious to the point of squeamishness, felt slightly ill. Apparently bohemias had its drawbacks, for all its thrills.

CHAPTER XXI.

NAN began her sittings for the portrait Danforth was determined to paint of her, the following week.

He wanted to do her in a black satin evening gown, décolleté and sleeveless, against a warm golden background, shot with rose.

"With your dusky hair, you will look like Cynthia, the Goddess of Night, rising against the sunset," he told her, as he drew forward the chair on the model stand and gave a last touch to the brocade background he had arranged in deft folds.

She thought humorously to herself that with his squat, square body, horn-rimmed glasses and big, pudgy hands, he looked far more like a conscientious window dresser than a successful artist.

Louis Brandon came in the first afternoon to see what was being done. He was a striking contrast to Danforth. Immaculate in white flannel trousers and sport shoes, with his silk shirt open over his handsome, bronzed throat, a long, amber cigarette holder between his carefully manicured fingers, and smoke curling upward to his lazy eyes, he leaned gracefully against the wall behind the painter and surveyed Nan appreciatively.

"That's a peach of a gown, Miss Farraday. It makes you look stately and—er—unapproachable. I'm wondering where my little music student's gone."

She smiled constrainedly after the manner of a model in her first pose.

"I'm afraid I'm going to get awfully tired sitting still so long. Will you ask Mr. Danforth to have pity on me?"

The artist set down his palette and rubbed his perspiring forehead with the back of a paint-smeared hand.

"Take a rest," he ordered, "and next time tell me when the pose is tiring you. I get so enthusiastic about what I'm painting that I generally forget a model's human."

"Is Miss Farraday human, Danforth?" Brandon inquired humorously. "I haven't found her so."

Danforth cast him a baleful glance.

"I wish you'd get out. I want to finish sketching the figure in before the light fails."

Brandon laughed lightly and strolled over to Nan, who had remained sitting in the chair on the model stand.

"He's a hospitable bird, isn't he? Now, if I were a girl?"

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If You Had to Choose--Which?



FOR the man who has a leaning toward the dessert end of the dinner—who gives the potatoes and steak a nod, true enough—but whose eyes beam and wander toward the plum pudding with the golden sauce rippling over it—who, when he cooks in camp, slaps out the earthly things of bacon and hot cakes—whose perfection everyone else is tender over—but hovers and fingers patiently and artfully over the making of wild gooseberry pie at the finish—for the man with a sweet tooth—here's something in the same class with sweetmeats and fig pudding and raspberry pie, with clotted cream of Devonshire lying on it like a Summer

cloud (sounds like I lean that way, too—but did you ever eat that last?)—a bunch of girls!

May it (this picture) give you a few minutes' delight. There's an Irish girl for them that like 'em, with dusky hair like a rain cloud spraying out over her black brows, with her eyes like two blue Killarney lakes put in with a sooty finger looking at you out from under.

There's a French demoiselle with her piquant cheek bones that give a lift to the shape of her luringly modelled face—her bright brown eyes with the fullness at the ends of them—her dashing nose—her rippling brown hair with the gleaming lights of wine-color in it—her olive cheeks touched with the faint color of

Madeira wine—the round, bright life thrilling through all her beauty.

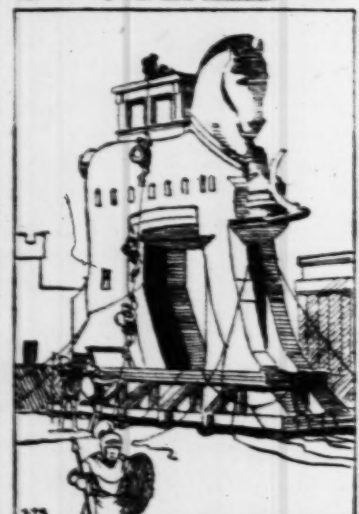
There's a glimpse of girl, with her perfect skin like a peach blossom in the gray-blue eyes like the light through a raindrop—her hair—her mild serenity like a Summer day.

And there is the "sometimes is American, and the sweetest of all (of course mixed blood will give her sometimes the marvel and hair of the North and the dark eyes of a moon over the sea, either.

And this isn't near as good as the mean, either.

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THE DATE TREE



January 15, 1183 B. C.—3109 years ago.—The Greeks are building their famous Trojan Horse. Heien, the beautiful wife of King Menelaus, having been stolen by Paris, son of Priam, King of Troy, the Greeks believe that city for 10 years. In 1184 B. C. it was captured and destroyed by the stratagem of building a large wooden horse, filling it with soldiers, and abandoning it on the plain before the city. The curious Trojans, thinking all danger past, carried the figure within their walls, and at night the Greeks within the gates slipped out, unbarricaded the gates and let in their army.

The Unfinished Floor.

If you are one of the unfortunate housekeepers who must work along with an unfinished wood floor in the kitchen, here are a few suggestions for keeping it clean.

Always scrub, in even strokes, with the grain of the wood. Use mild soap and as little as possible, then wipe dry at once.

Large quantities of water and strong soap or powder will not only darken the wood, but it may soften it. If soap and water is not effective, use fine steel wool or powdered pumice stone.

HOUSEHOLD SUGGESTIONS

The Safest Way.

The safest and best way to gather up broken glass is to wipe it up with a wet woolen rag, which should then be wrapped in paper and thrown away.

Little Compartments.

Try using muffin tins to bake onions, tomatoes, apples and peppers. They will keep their shape so much better, and the stuffings cannot bake out of the little compartments.

A Pillow for Baby.

If you must buy a pillow for the new baby by all means buy a hair one. Feather pillows are heating and cause the head to perspire, which means a cold for the little fellow.

Koffee Klatch.

It is a wise economy to grind coffee as it is needed, as ground coffee quickly loses its flavor and requires more in the making. Hence ground coffee should never be bought in large quantities. All coffee should be kept in closely covered containers.

Trimming for Hats.

Trimming for hats is as smart as can be. When there is more than a ribbon band about the crown, then it is usually but a bit of a coarseness made of that same ribbon.

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There is no free flow for this ceremony for it depends, of course, upon the height of the river, but it generally occurs in the second week of August.

The evening before the actual event, the river banks are crowded with booths and merry-makers. Boatloads of celebrants pass up and down the river, while fireworks blaze on all sides. It is an evening of gaiety and celebration.

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are launched, filled with rejoicing and spectators. In the days of ancient Egypt, a live virgin was sacrificed each year to Isis, goddess of agriculture. She was thrown into the Nile in an effort to propitiate the goddess and so bring good crops for the coming year.

Then the ceremony was far more elaborate, the Caliph himself spending a quarter of a million dollars on the spectacle.

The Turkish costumes, the did early of the troops, the brilliant colors of Oriental turbans lent an indescribable position in water.

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His adversary's heart to him. Language is a city to the tongue of which every language brought a stone.—Emerson.

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The Home Kitchen

By Jeannette Norton

What and When to Eat.

PEOPLE who are on diets for various ills often complain that they have to give up so many favorite foods. Generally tea, coffee, starchy food and red meats are the first things that are thrown into the discard. But if we arrange our meals, talk it over with the doctors, and consider new combinations, we may salvage enough to comfort us. By separating the meals in this fashion, a fruit meal, a starch meal and a protein meal, we will be surprised at the result.

A raw fruit, a dish of stewed fruit and a glass of warm milk, or milk that has not been iced, will make a fine breakfast. Remember that citrus fruits and milk agree perfectly.

Luncheon is the starch and sugar meal, where we acquire the needed heat and energy. We may have a choice of sweet or white potatoes, cooked in any fashion, spaghetti, spaghetti or macaroni without cheese, any of the dark breads, waffles or griddle cakes. A choice of non-starchy vegetables such as celery, carrots, greens, salads, cabbage, and others in this class is permitted, and we may have chicken, or fish, lobster or oysters, a simple salad or stewed fruit.

Dinner is the protein meal. The concentrated proteins used may be chosen from among meats, fish, fowl, eggs, cheese, shellfish, game, nuts and the legumes. With the choice, two non-starchy vegetables should be used, one raw vegetable and stewed fruits. Of course, we must say farewell to pastry and accept the fresh, or stewed fruits, or sweet dried fruits in their place. But we may have two squares of unsalted butter per meal, in most instances. The use of prunes, plums and cranberries is not favored in this particular diet separation. Ham and pork are not looked upon with favor, either.

As long as we are willing to eat our fresh fruit without adding sugar to it, we may have all we crave. Many doctors allow coffee once a day if it is taken without sugar or cream.

Candies, like pastry, are taboo. It is hard to get used to eating no bread without meats, but we soon find that the vegetables chosen take its place, and unpurified rice or spaghetti helps also.

With the vitamins A, B and C supplied by the raw fruits, helped by the fruit sugars, we are not only nourished but helped in many other ways. After a trial of this manner of eating, one finds it quite hard to go back to the old regime of mixed meals. Buttermilk may be used as a charge for sweet milk at any time. Among the cooked fruits, the baked banana is quite popular. The dried fruits should be cooked unsweetened unless a little honey is added to them just as they are taken from the fire.

GETTING IN.

The difficulty attending the passage of the camel through the needle's eye has a counterpart in modern dress. Women now are getting into one-piece frocks through the sleeves. In one of the newest designs which has just reached this country the sleeves are split up the outside of the arm, are fastened from wrist to shoulder with small metal buttons. The unbuttoning of the sleeves opens the neck and permits the frock to be slipped on easily.

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Children's Bedtime Story

By Thornton W. Burgess

The Silent Watcher

Through silence secrets oft are learned,
And knowledge thus is often earned.

—Old Mother Nature.

FARMER BROWN'S BOY knows the truth of this. Long ago he learned it through experience. So when he is in the Green Forest he has a way of standing or sitting quietly for long periods. "Things will come to you that you cannot go to," says he, and in this he is right. He knows that often when you cannot see or hear any of the little people of the Green Forest or the Green Meadows some of them may be very near. If they haven't seen you the surest way of seeing them is to keep perfectly still. Then unless they happen to get your scent, to smell you, they are almost sure to show themselves. Even when they know you are about they often will forget or think you have moved on providing you keep perfectly still.

All this Farmer Brown's boy knows. It is one reason he knows so much about his furred and feathered friends. For a long, long time he has been a silent watcher. He has found that it pays. So it was that after leaving the Deer "yard" where Lightfoot and his family were doing nicely despite the crust on the snow, he stopped every little way and stood motionless and silent while he looked and listened and waited.

At last he reached a clump of young hemlock trees, and as he peered out from the midst of these he saw, or thought he saw, a brownish form sneak out of sight.

"I believe that was Yowler the Bob Cat," thought Farmer Brown's boy. "Yes, sir, I do believe it was. It isn't often I have a chance to see him in broad daylight. I don't think he saw me. He didn't act that way. I'll watch here a while and see what happens."

Nothing happened for a long time. In fact, Farmer Brown's boy had about decided that waiting there was wasting time and that he would move on. But before he moved he looked carefully as far as he could see between the trees. There was Yowler returning. Farmer Brown's boy chuckled silently as he noted how Yowler sneaked along when there was no one about to see him so far as he knew. "He is a natural born sneak," thought Farmer Brown's boy. "I wonder what he is up to here?"

Yowler came sneaking along until a little way in front of where Farmer Brown's boy was



"I believe that was Yowler the Bob Cat," thought Farmer Brown's Boy

standing. Then he stopped and crouched, his eyes fixed on a certain spot. His stub of a tail, which is hardly enough of a tail to be called a tail, twitched. Once in a while he would turn his head to glare all around. Then he would fix his eyes on that particular spot again. Finally, very softly, he stole forward and began to scratch the crust at that point. But he didn't scratch long. Then he resumed his watching.

"That is queer," thought Farmer Brown's boy. "Why is he so interested in that particular place?"

Presently he saw Reddy Fox coming along through the Green Forest. Very handsome Reddy looked, for his coat never was finer and his tail never bigger. Yowler had disappeared just before Reddy came in sight. As Reddy drew near the place Yow-

ler had been watching he stopped so suddenly that one black paw was held up in the air. He cocked his head to one side and listened, his black ears pricked forward. It was plain that he heard something, and as he was looking straight at the spot where Yowler had been scratching it was a safe guess that whatever he heard was under the snow right there.

He was still standing there when Yowler returned and snarled at him. Reddy waited only long enough to make sure that Yowler meant what he said. Then with a grin Reddy started on straight toward Farmer Brown's boy. Just before he reached those hemlock trees a Merry Little Breeze happened along and carried the scent of Farmer Brown's boy straight to Reddy's little black nose. Without seeming to hurry Reddy appeared to melt away, so quickly did he disappear, and he was still grinning.

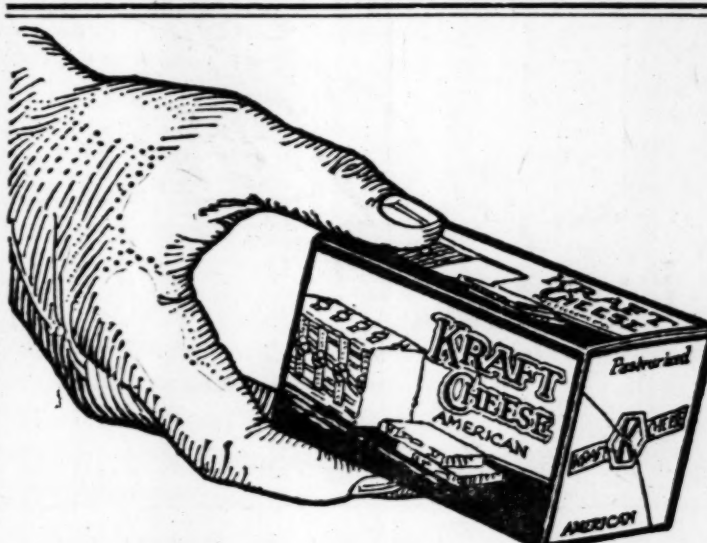
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The First Dictionaries.

The first standard dictionary of the English language was published in 1766, the monumental labor of Samuel Johnson, who died Dec. 12, 1794. His dictionary, which took many years of his life to compile, was the most remarkable work of any single person.

Noah Webster's American dictionary was published in 1826, and Worcester's English Dictionary appeared in 1860.

The first dictionary compiler was Pa-tu-she, a Chinese scholar, who lived about 1100 B. C., who made up a standard dictionary of the Chinese language containing about 40,000 characters, mostly hieroglyphics. About 100 B. C. Varro compiled a Latin dictionary. Julius Pollux completed a collection of Greek vocabularies about A. D. 177 and in 1590 Calepini, a Venetian friar, made a polyglot dictionary in eight languages.



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Beauty for Busy Women

By LUCREZIA BORI

IT is true that the busy woman has not much time to put into taking personal care of herself. I have noticed that it is also true

that the so-called busy woman often is the one who never lets down her standard of personal grooming.

It seems to me that this is because the woman who is busiest must systematize her time, and in this system of things she allows just so much time for taking care of her own looks, of which she realizes the importance. She allows a certain amount of time for it morning and evening, and she spends this time taking beauty measures to improve herself.

I have often heard young women who have jobs remark that they get so much more done in every way when they are working so

many hours a day, than when they stayed at home and did not go out to business.

The secret of this, I am convinced, lies in the fact that they systematize their activities. When they must be on the job during the day, they find it necessary to think ahead and plan out their home activities and their beautifying methods. Thus they have a definite time for each thing, and they do it at that definite time, realizing that it would be sometime before they could again plan a moment for the neglected duty.

In this system of planning which I recommend most highly, one must employ a certain amount of discrimination. For instance there may be a certain Saturday afternoon when you want very much to go to the movies, but you know it is the best time possible for you to stay at home and wash your hair. The discrimination comes in when you decide whether it is best for you to go to the movie, or stay at home and make your hair lovely so you will appear at your best at the evening party you are going to. Then again, you may want to

finish that fascinating novel you are reading some evening, instead of grooming your nails and getting your allotted time of beauty sleep. It's up to you to decide which pursuit will give the best return. If you decide to finish the novel, be sure the pleasure the book gives you is worth loss of an hour or so of beauty sleep.

Philosophical Phrasings

Hatred is self-punishment.—Hoshea Ballou.

Only the heart without a stain knows perfect ease.—Goethe.

The crest and crowning of all good life's final star, is brotherhood.—Markham.

Idleness is emptiness; the tree in which the sap is stagnant remains fruitless.—Hoshea Ballou.

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WHAT should children drink at mealtime? That has been a real problem. Of course they should have milk, but many of them do not like its taste, and in raw weather a hot drink is especially desirable.

So many mothers have allowed children to have coffee and tea, although every health authority says that it is wrong. Other mothers have kept up the battle for milk, or turned to less-digestible drinks, and had a difficult time of it.

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The Man on the
Sandboxby
L. C. Ransom

The Writ of Hocus Pocus.

"W HAT makes you look so sad, so sad?"

Said Justice-on-Parade.

"Well, things are looking kinda bad."

The Gifted Gunman said.

"I've always been a friend to you."

Said Justice-on-Parade.

"That's very true, that's very true."

The Gifted Gunman said.

"For, when jurymen would send me to the booby hatch to stay. With legal technicalities you always blocked the way."

But, the people are indignant and determined, come what may. That they'll send me to the booby hatch in the morning."

"I wouldn't be so blue, so blue."

Said Justice-on-Parade.

"Well, what would you suggest to do?"

The Gifted Gunman said.

"I think that I could get you out."

Said Justice-on-Parade.

"But, how could that be brought about?"

The Gifted Gunman said.

"Well, for instance," said his bud-

dy, "if your pull should ever fall."

And, the court would not release you on the customary bail. I believe your Uncle Dudley still could get you out of jail.

On a writ of Hocus Pocus in the morning."

GOOD WORK!

The automobile manufacturers have voted \$10,000,000 to be used in an effort to puncture the British rubber trust.

All the Yankees want from the Browns at present is Robertson.

Gerber and McManus reading from left to right. How they came to overlook first base is one of the mysteries of inside baseball.

The man on the sandbox suggests that the aluminum trust be investigated by the kitchen cabinet.

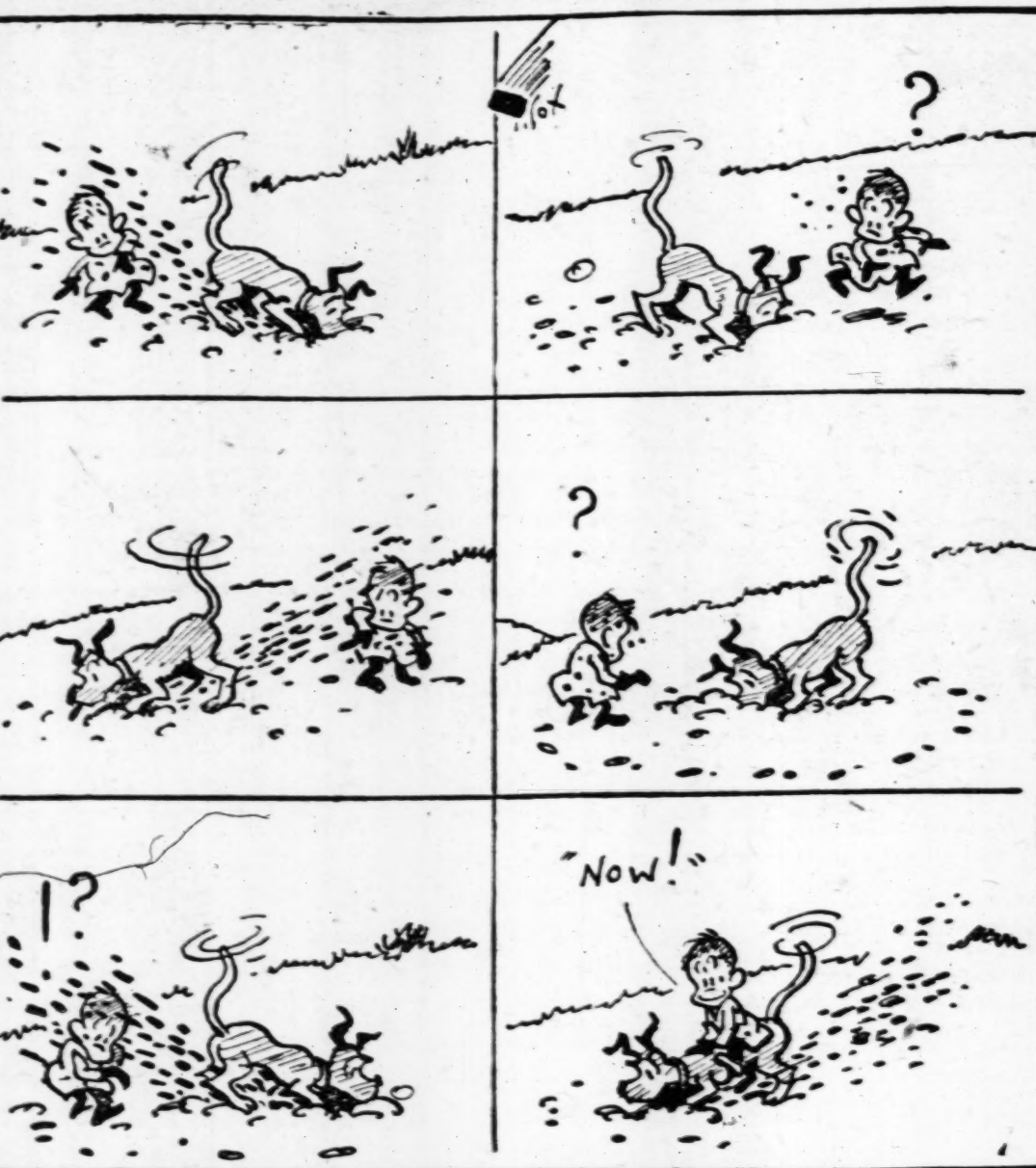
What the top-Sergeant of the Department of Justice doesn't know about aluminum will fill a library.

"To Combine Art and Science."

We take it this will not be a combination in restraint of trade.

Red Grange says he isn't engaged to be married and doesn't intend to be. Oh, I dunno! Dan Cupid, the greatest tackle of all time, will get him for a loss some day.

High Spots in the Life of Little Stanley, the Great Explorer—By Fontaine Fox



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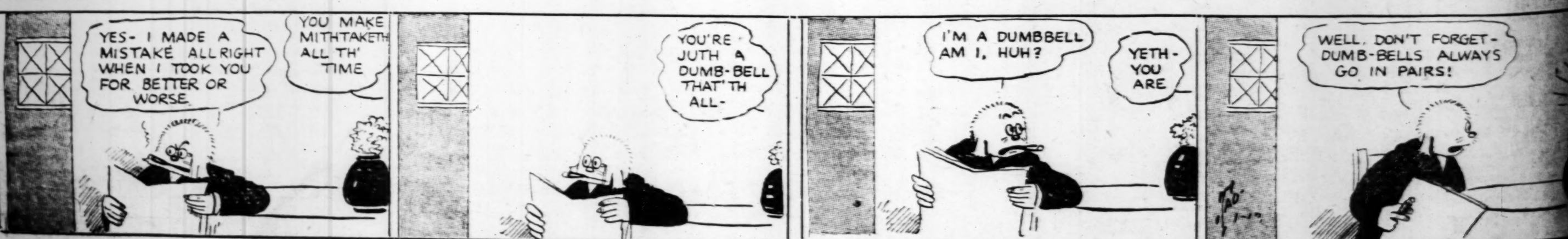
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Must Provide for Co-or-
dination of Traction Sys-
tem and Bus Lines.

Mayor Miller today outlined the fundamental requirements he believes should be incorporated in any new franchise granted by the city to the St. Louis Public Service Co., as the United Railways will be known when the reorganization, now in progress, is completed.

He insists that the franchise ordinance must be passed upon by the people, either through the initiative or by being submitted to them after it is drawn by the Aldermen.

In brief, his prepared statement favors co-ordination of service (presumably of buses and street cars); the right of the city to determine the kind and character of service to be rendered at cost; the right of the city to acquire the property if it should desire to operate the transportation system or have some agency other than the company operate it; and the adoption of a service-at-cost plan that will insure a fair return to investors.

What City Will Demand.

"Any company which the city may permit to operate a transportation system in St. Louis must assume the liability to furnish the kind and amount of transportation service, whether by street cars or otherwise, which the City of St. Louis, through its proper designated officials, may determine," his statement reads.

As is known, the Reorganization Committee of the United Railways Co. has made several efforts to acquire the People's Motorbus Co. The United Railways' annual report this year is expected to show that it operated at a loss of approximately \$250,000, which Reorganization Committee has attributed in a large part to motorbus competition.

For Co-ordinated Service.

With respect to co-ordinated service, the Mayor says: "I favor a co-ordinated service so that the company responsible to the city under such a franchise will be able to furnish the kind of service required and in such manner as to eliminate unnecessary waste."

The Mayor, it is known, is committed to the retention of buses as a part of any transportation system.

The Mayor discusses the present franchise grant from the viewpoint of the future and says that the work of laying out a transportation system that will facilitate the ultimate construction of subways and elevated roads must be given consideration now.

The city proposes shortly to submit to the company certain fundamental propositions in detail which must be part of any ordinance submitted," the statement says.

For Preliminary Conference.

The Mayor told a Post-Dispatch reporter he believed conferences between the railway company of Aldermen, the Comptroller of the City, the citizens should precede the granting of a franchise. The city should be represented, he said, by a committee from the Board of Aldermen. The Comptroller of the City, the Director of Public Utilities and the City Counselor. He said he proposed to appoint about five representative citizens to speak for the public.

"I must emphasize my determination to have the city designate the type of service and the amount of it," the Mayor said. "I believe a director of transportation should be appointed to see that the cost of operation of the company is held to an absolute minimum. If we are to agree to a service-at-cost plan, we must see that the cost is the lowest consistent with good service."

Transportation, as a necessary phase of municipal development, he said, with generally in the remainder of the statement.

Text of Statement.

The Mayor's statement follows in full.

"I note the announcement by the Reorganization Committee of the formation of a new company, which it proposes should take over and operate the United Railways

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